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EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

NEW JERSEY promises a big peach crop, but Delaware preserves a significant silence.

THERE is a rapidly growing sentiment in favor of railroad fares being fixed at two cents per mile, and it is likely to increase.

UNDER the Inter-State Commerce law the railroads expect to save $5,000,000 a year in commissions for selling tickets.

HON. WM. A. WALLACE, of Clearfield, who is suffering from a bronchial affection, has gone to New York to place himself under treatment.

AN eccentric German named John Fry was struck by an eastward bound express train near Petersburg, Huntingdon county, on Friday morning.

MANY people go away in the summer time to rusticate. Our Kate claims that she gets rusty while staying at bome and it don't cost her half so much.

An Irish magistrate asked a prisoner if he was married. "No," replied the man. "Then," said his worship, amid peals of laughter, "it's a good thing for your wife."

THE members of the Potter county bar have endorsed Judge Williams as a proper person to be nominated for supreme judge. He seems to be gaining in strength as a candidate throughout the state.

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E are extremely sorry to hear that James G. Blaine is ill at Fort Gibson. We do not believe that his condition is dangerous, and even when ill he is worth about as much as any other man when in the best of health

THE determined struggle Republican aspirants are making for their party's gubernatorial nomination in Kentucky and the possibility it indicates of the campaign being a close one is giving the Democrats much uneasiness.

THE plurality for the Republican candidate for Mayor in Cincinnati increases as the official canvass proceeds. At the latest accounts it was 656. The plurality of some of the other candidates will reach four thousand

THE expert of the Department of the Agriculture has finished his analysis of specimens of butter obtained from all parts of the country, and it is said with apparent pride that not more than one-third of them proved to be adulterations or imitations.

THE late Rahway, N. J., murder and the efforts to identify the murdered girl have revealed the fact that there are a fearful number of missing girls brought to light by this tragedy, of which the public had no knowledge, and of whose whereabouts there is no clue.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND has appointed as the commission to investigate the affairs of the Pacific railways under the act of the late congress, Ex-Governor Pattison, of Pennsylvania; E. Ellery Anderson, of New York, and David L. Littler, of Illinois—two Democrats and one Republican.

SENATOR ELECT QUAY has an especial fancy for precious stones, and the contents of his wife's jewel cases are likely to create a sensation in Washington next winter. She is said to possess a necklace of singular splendor, composed of diamonds, carbuncles, emeralds, topazes, sardonyxes and amethysts.

The Baltimore *American* says that President Cleveland has again invited Governor Hill to visit the White House. When the meeting of these great men comes to pass, the country will behold two souls with but a single thought. But their hearts, however, instead of beating as one, are trying to beat each other.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

City of New York,—Henry Ward Beecher,—The Communist Danger,—Immigration,—Trade,—The Easter Time.

NEW YORK, April 9, 1887.

New York is rapidly becoming the focus point of the financial, social, commercial and political centripetal forces of the whole world. Since the organization of our government it has been and forever will be the metropolitan city of the New World. It not only has the money to control but the brains and sagacity to shape and direct the business enterprises and events of this Nation. The railroads that span the continent could never have been built without the capital and the fearless courage of the New York business men. Other cities will become great in population, wealth, manufactures, art, and in all the varied enterprises of trade, but New York city will never have a rival.

Professional men who have gained sectional notoriety in different parts of the country, and discovered that they have real, lasting ability, come to New York; and so also it is in every department of business. The increasing facilities of transit favor such a centralization of talent and wealth.

HENRY WARD BEECHER.

In the death of this greatest and grandest preacher of modern times New York and Brooklyn seem to have lost a distinctive feature of their own best individuality. Mr. Beecher was a man of the people and his death is felt as a family bereavement in every intelligent household. Brooklyn will erect an appropriate monument to his memory.

Mr. Beecher was a great lover of art, and of the beautiful in all its manifestations. His collection of art gems, of rare books, of unique productions of genius, is the most varied probably, and the most valuable, ever brought together by a private American citizen. His library consists of over 10,000 volumes, embracing many rare works of exceeding value. These books, together with his large collection of gems and paintings, are to be catalogued and sold at auction sometime during the coming fall.

THE COMMUNIST DANGER.

In all our large cities the communistic element is becoming dangerous. It is growing into something more fierce than the preaching of agrarian philosophy and social anarchy,—it is traveling to the result of organized public robbery. From this source, founded upon the brutal selfishness of the masses, will come the greatest danger to the stability of our republican institutions. And all this result and danger arises from our ridiculous and unrestricted system of

IMMIGRATION.

Thousands, and hundreds of thousands of European immigrants are allowed to land on our shores, and to go where they please, and do what they please, who become a horde of people in our midst inimical to social order and to our liberal and distinctive system of government. As evidence of this we have only to look to the thousands of tramps that parade the country, and to the Nihilists and communists who disturb the business economy and interests of our great cities. Unless something is done to restrict immigration, to discriminate and shut out the non-producing and dangerous classes, we may drift along into a condition of society that will attempt the re-enactment of French communistic horrors.

TRADE.

Notwithstanding the extended disturbance of business throughout the country caused by the strikes of the working classes, the spring trade of New York city has been very good. The wholesale purchases in some lines have been larger than of previous years; and the retail business has been far in excess of other seasons.

THE EASTER TIME.

Great preparations were made for Easter, and Good Friday was more generally observed than ever before in this city. The churches to-morrow will be profusely and beautifully decorated, and by sermons and songs of praise the services will be made especially appropriate to the joyful occasion. Thus, through all the centuries of time, and through all changes, Christ survives, lives in the hearts of mankind, and will be forever the joy and true hope of the world.

HIRAM TORREY.

THE state governments of New York and New Jersey must be in great distress for new sources of revenue. In both these states bills are before the legislature providing for the taxation of deposits in savings banks. This would strike the working classes more heavily than any other. It is the men and women with small savings who have their money in such institutions and it seems cruel and cowardly to compel them to pay tax on funds which at best draw only very small interest.

It Works the Wrong Way.

The interstate commerce law, which was expected, in some way or other, to restrict the privileges of railroads, has really conferred new privileges and benefits on them, and we hear railroad men rejoicing while passengers and freight shippers are complaining. The York *Dispatch*, among other remarks on the subject, says: "Of course it is an experiment, and many of the troubles feared of the act may be exaggerated and some of them imaginary, but the uncertainty surrounding the law, the difficulty of understanding its provisions, all tend to a confusion in business circles detrimental to the business interests of the country. If on trial the law is found to work as it is now believed it will, there will be such a universal demand for its repeal at the next Congress that that body can not but heed the demand and either undo the work or so amend the act as to remedy the present defects and evils complained of. * * * It was a singular thing that during the consideration of the bill there was not a railroad in the country that sent to Congress a protest against its passage. Did the railroads know that its workings would be to their interest as much as if it were actually framed and passed in their interest?"

The bill changes the relation of the newspaper to the railroad and the Chicago *News* announces the following as its future schedule of prices for railroad puffing:

1. For the setting forth of the virtues (actual or alleged) of presidents, general managers or directors, $2 per line for first insertion and $1 for each subsequent insertion.

2 For puffs expressed in choice English, with occasional French phrases or poetical extracts (the whole with a palpable motive of honest enthusiasm), $2.50 per line; 50 per cent. reduction on each subsequent insertion.

3. General passenger agents and division superintendents will be accorded half rates on the terms offered in rule No. 1. But in all cases where the title of Colonel is used regular first-class rates will be demanded.

4 Thousand-mile tickets on the basis of two cents per mile will be received in exchange for advertising done at our card rates, but these tickets must hold good on passenger as well as on freight trains.

5. No deviation from the card rates can be made in favor of parties handing us five-cent cigars with the puffs they desired published.

6. For complimentary notices of the wives and children of railroad officials we demand $1.50 per line. We have on hand, ready for immediate use, a splendid assortment of this literature.

7. Poetry will be made to order at $3 per inch, agate measure. We are prepared to supply a fine line of heptameter puffs, also a limited number of sonnets and triolets, in exchange for 1,000-mile tickets. Epic poems, containing descriptions of scenery, dining cars, etc., will be published at special rates.

8. General superintendents sending requests for the suppression of news must accompany their requests with ten-dollar bills—not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

WE approve of the following from the Williamsport *Gazette and Bulletin*, and would merely like to add that the new building should be located in Bellefonte. That paper says: "It seems like sheer folly for any member of the legislature to be advocating the appropriation of a large sum of money to patch up and repair the state capitol at Harrisburg. The building is old, inconvenient and illy suited for the purpose it is now used. Pennsylvania should have a new state capitol. Not an extravagant and "ginger-bread" building, but a substantial structure costing four or five millions of dollars. The state is abundantly able to build it and the people would not object to it. Such a structure would be a credit to our great and rich commonwealth, the second in our federal Union. Patching up an old and illy arranged building at an enormous cost would be neither creditable nor economical, but really an inexcusable piece of extravagance in the end. It is hoped, therefore, that the legislature will reject the bill for patching and promptly take the necessary steps to have a modern state capital erected. Money expended on repairs is money thrown away. Let us have no more of such legislation."

High License Prospect.

Senator Cooper's Delaware county *American* predicts that high license will win in Pennsylvania. It says:

"The close battle for High License in the House will end in victory. All that can properly be desired cannot be gained this year, but there will enough for a fair start upon the right road, and better results will soon follow. In the first day's battle the Liquor Leagues won by two majority. Some of the Republicans leaders then went to the rescue, and through party fealty won back fully 30 votes, and by the bill was ready for a vote on second reading the majority for it was almost two to one—112 to 58. Upon third reading there may be another skirmish, but the bill will get to the Senate, where the battle will be renewed we believe with even better results for High License.

The House failed to pass a proper section for druggists, and this will be changed. It also fixed January 1, 1888, as the time when the bill is to go into effect. This should be changed so as to have it take effect upon each and every grant of a license or renewal of a license In Allegheny county yearly liquor license date from the first days of February, May, August and November. In other counties in the State licenses are taken out at various times, as the State Treasurer's reports show the receipt of money for liquor and tavern licenses every month of the year. Unless it is provided that all lower-rate licenses shall expire on January 1, 1888, there is no sufficient reason for postponing till then the operation of the High License law. If there be a repetition of the danger of changes in the House the Senate can make them. We believe that the bill will pass, and that the growing temperance sentiment will be met."

Everybody Satisfied.

The elections that please everybody should be generally satisfactory and that is just what recent elections have done. We notice that the Republicans and Democrats are rejoicing. Of course, we consider that the Republicans are the only ones who have any reason for joy, but if Democrats can also find food for their exultation, all right.

Let us examine some of the reasons they assign for such evident pleasure.

The Democrats are happy because Rhode Island elected a Democrat. Well, this, considered alone, should please them, because we believe Rhode Island is not accustomed to commit any such mistake. But that she did so this time seems to indicate that she had some cause for it, and, with all wrongs righted, she will not do so again.

But if the Democrats consider that a victory, the Republicans have equal reason to congratulate themselves over the result in Chicago. And there the triumph of good government was wonderfully signal, sufficiently so to restore confidence in the people of that city. Republicans also made material gains in Cincinnati and St. Louis, and, despite the fact of prohibition loss in Michigan, the Republicans were triumphant in that State.

This reminds us that both Prohibition and Whiskey influences are pleased with the result in Michigan. The latter counted the most votes, but the former say that their full strength was not out and that they were defrauded in many ways and that the vote was really a victory. Now, when every party under the sun can view the result of a vote with so much satisfaction, the battle at the polls is without its unpleasant features. While, as we say, it seems to us to be in most instances a Republican victory, we are quite willing that other parties should also contemplate the result with pleasure.

OWING to a defection in the Republican ranks over local matters, the Democrats carried Rhode Island on Wednesday last, electing Davis, their candidate for governor, by about 1,000 majority. Although such a result was anticipated, on account of the defection, the Democrats have gone wild over the result and it is heralded as a great Democratic triumph. But it is no Democratic victory. The Republicans, owing to a quarrel in their own party, made it possible for the Democrats to elect their candidate. Rhode Island is not bigger than Centre county, and, although an accidental triumph may tickle the Democrats, it is not likely that a similar blunder will be repeated again very soon.

MRS. LANGTRY'S clear profit for the present season is said to be $73,000. Denman Thompson is clearing $2,000 a week. W. J. Florence and wife have netted $36,000, and Edwin Booth will make a round $100,000. A. M. Palmer and Augustin Daly will realize from $50,000 to $75,000 from "Jim, the Penman," and "Taming of the Shrew." It has not been a bad year for the stage people.

England's Congress.

Our special London correspondent gives us a clear and intelligent picture of the way in which the English Parliament differs from the American Congress. He says that "in one thing Parliament is far and away ahead of the House, perhaps in more than one thing, but in the respect of being a school of debate it is the first body in the world. And this is brought about by the excellent rule that the members of the Cabinet must be sitting members of the legislative body. More than this, they must go to their constituents for endorsement again after they accept office, and, having been returned and taken their places in the Government, they must come into the House and defend their policy on all matters of moment. The result is that it is a constant fencing match; it is a daily encounter; attack and defence sharpen the wits and encourage skill in debate. This constant friction of brains cannot help but be productive of good results. Another point in it is (and one which, curiously enough, accounts for the fact that the art of interviewing by newspaper men is unknown in England), that the Ministers must answer all the questions put to them by Members. And I can assure you the opposition put them through a course of sprouts that the cheekiest newspaper reporter America ever produced would not dare to do These questions and answers being published in full, all the papers and the public get the benefit of them, and the interviewer's office is gone. Meanwhile the nation watch this game of fence attentively, and when the Ministers are inadaquate to the defence of their position, Parliament is dissolved, and the question is at once asked the people, whether they do or do not approve the course of the Government. It is a complete and perfect government of the people by the people. There is no waiting two to four years for the constituents of a man or of a party to express their disapprobation and turn him out of office after the mischief has been done."

THE Hon. Henry Watterson, of the *Courier-Journal*, is reported by an interviewer as saying: "I am looking every year for a break-up of the Solid South, and it will be a good thing for the country when it comes." There is not a bit of doubt about that—good socially, politically and commercially. There are great interests vital to the South which will never be served under the rule of "before the wah" Democratic politics. The best thinking men of the South see this, and will welcome the break. On the principle of protection the South, when the break comes, will stand shoulder to shoulder with the Republican party.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

WHEN asked what he thought of the prospects of the Republican party in 1888, Senator Allison, of Iowa, said his opinion was that the party would win. The Senator then gave his views in a general way to the effect that the Democratic party had shown its utter incompetency and lost the confidence of the strong men within the party. He thought New York would go Republican, and the chances were that Virginia and several other Southern States might fall into line. Indiana could be counted on and the idea that Illinois was anything but a Republican State was preposterous.

THE elections for members of the legislature held in Rhode Island since the general election last Wednesday, culminated last Saturday in the result at Newport which gives the Democrats the legislature on joint ballot. This secures for the Democrats the lieutenant-governor and secretary of state, the choice of which was thrown into the legislature by the failure of the people to elect. Altogether Rhode Island has not assumed so much importance since the famous Dorr Rebellion of 1842.

IN his report Postmaster General Vilas says that of the 2,300 presidential postmasterships 2,000 are already held by Democrats, and that Democrats also fill 40,000 of the 54,000 fourth-class offices. These figures show that the spoils machinery has been running quite lively during the past two years, and yet there are Democrats who are impatient because the mill does not run faster.

THE genial Frank Hurd announces his intention to run for Congress again on a straightout free trade platform. There is nothing to prevent Frank from running, but we should think he would be tired of an exercise that produces such poor results.

GENERAL NOTES.

Bob Ford, the slayer of Jesse James, is now a waiter in a restaurant at Santa Fe, N. M.

It is claimed extensive deposits of silver have been discovered eight miles west of Duluth, Minn.

Tracheotomy has been attempted on horses in England to cure them of roaring, and tried with success.

Two Oil City young men had a cigarette-smoking match the other day, and the winner consumed 60 cigarettes in an hour to the loser's 45.

In Swabia and Switzerland the cows are milked through a perforated stone which is believed to have fallen from the clouds, and is, therefore, called a "cow-stone."

The centennial anniversary of the birth of Arthur Schopenhauer, Feb. 22, will be celebrated in Germany next year with much ceremony by the followers of the pessimistic philosopher.

It was a little Boston girl who said to her brother, "You mustn't say 'victuals,' Johnny You must say 'food;' victuals is rum" She had seen the words 'licensed victualler' over the doors of some of Boston's elegant bar rooms.

Connection between diptheria and croup and the keeping of pigeons (in which he says he found microbes of diphtheria) is traced by a Brussels' physician, who asks the members of a local medical society to investigate his theory.

An Abilene, Texas, correspondent writes: "A wagon was in town a few days ago from which the proprietor was retailing fresh Buffalo meat. It is probably the last wagon with such goods that will ever be seen on the streets of Abilene."

Eighteen months ago Berth Pingre, against the wishes of her parents, came from Germany to marry a coachman, William Wundrum, of Rock Island. Her husband has just heard of the death of his father, whereby he inherits a fortune of $500,000

James Hubbard, of Indianapolis, was 102 years old on Saturday. He is a member of the Tippecanoe Club, which expected to give him a banquet, but he was too feeble to attend. His father lived 98, his grandfather 102 and his great-grandfather 105 years.

Sir William Thompson says that it would be exceedingly rash to assume as probably anything more than 20,000,000 years of the sun's light in the past history of the earth or to reckon on more than 5,000,000 or 6,000,000 years of sunlight for time to come.

Stories of the incidents at the author's reading in Boston continue to furnish food for gossip. Near Miss Grundy was a Mrs High-and-Mighty, who was well informed in literature. "Hush," she said, as one well known author rose to read. "That's Mr. Aldrich. You know he wrote 'Peck's Bad Boy.'"

A quite heavy shower of meteoric dust fell upon the region around Eau Claire, Wis., on the night of the 5th, between 11 and 12 o'clock, succeeding the passage through the heavens from northwest to southeast of brilliant meteors. The shower filled the air with dust and turned the fresh fallen snow seal brown.

Some one having charged Mr. Boring, "the armless professor of mathematics," who is running for superintendent of Public Instruction of Kentucky, with having a Confederate war record, the Owensborough *Messenger* arises to explain that Mr. Boring lost his arm in a peaceful struggle with a ground hog thrashing machine many years 'befo' de wah."

A bright druggist in Brattleboro', Vt., has contrived a scheme whereby the medicine buyer will be somewhat protected. He has connected every bottle containing poison with the prescription desk by electricity, so that whenever one is touched a bell gives warning and wakes the compounder up to see, by a second look, whether he has the bottle he wants or not.

M Floran de Villepigne has devised, in Paris, an instrument, the autographometer, which, *Nature* says, records automatically the topography and difference of level of all places over which it passes. It is carried about on a light vehicle, and those who wish to use it have nothing to do but to haul it, or have it hauled, over the ground of which they desire to obtain a plan.

An exchange tells the story that Nellie, whose grandfather began life as a cabin boy and finished as a millionaire, was paid 1 cent a dozen for pins picked up from the carpet, to keep the baby from getting them. "Nurse," said Nellie, as her stock of pennies increased, "do you know what I am going to do when I get 6 cents?" "No," answered nurse. "I am going to buy a paper of pins and scatter them over the floor, and then pick them up," replied the young financier, who was barely 5 years old.

The fiftieth anniversary of the introduction of railways into France will be celebrated by the Grand International Jubilee Exhibition, to be held in Paris this year, under the patronage of the Ministry. Every description of railway plant will be represented, including the most recent improvements which will illustrate, by comparison with absolete material, the railway progress made in different countries. The grounds upon which the exhibition will be held form part of the Bois de Vincennes.

A singular case of leprosy, which has ended fatally, has been discovered in a Paris hospital. At one time the disease had completely disappeared from that country, but eight years ago it reappeared in the neighborhood of Valencia. An official circular in a Madrid paper admits the existence of leprosy in the Provinces Valencia, Alicanti and Almeria. The French Government is examining the advisability of establishing a quarantine in the Mediterranean ports for all Spanish vessels.

Poetry.

THREE BEAUTIES.

I.

The Girl in the Sealskin Sacque.

Oh! the girl in the seals in sacque is fair,
She's a vision that charms the eye,
Within her ripe red lips and her golden hair,
And teeth like the p rfect pearls that lie
In the choral waves of the ocean, where
The mermaid dressed her golden hair,
And chants the dirge of the se men brave
Whose bark has sank 'neath the foaming wave.

II.

The Summer Girl.

Oh! the Summer girl with her golden hair
And her robe of snowy lawn
And her blushing cheeks is a vision as fair
As the Summer morning's dawn.
Her cheeks are blushing skies sun kissed,
Her dress is the morning's fleecy mist,
Her eyes are the ocean f fath miless blue,
And her lips are the rosebuds fresh with dew.

III.

The Easter Bride.

But the robes of the maidens mentioned pale
Into the nothingness beside
The lilac silk and the Brussels veil
Of the blushing Easter bride;
And their charms are eclipsed as the bride appears,
Like an April day, in smiles and tears,
At the altar and there with the bridegroom stands
Till the kind old pastor has joined their hands.

WHAT IS LIFE?

A little crib beside the bed,
A little face above the spread;
A little frock behind the door,
A little shoe upon the floor.

A little lad with dark brown hair,
A little blue eyed face, and fair,
A little lane that leads to school,
A little pencil, slate and rule.

A little blithsome, winsome maid,
A little hand within h s laid;
A little cottage, acr s four,
A little old-timed fashioned store.

A little family gathering round
A little turf-heaped, tear dewed mound;
A little added to his soil
A little rest from the hardest toil.

A little silver in his hair,
A little stool and easy chair;
A little night f e rth lit gloom
A little cortege to the t mb. —*Ex.*

DESTINY.

An elm tree and a pine tree
Grew by a castle wall;
The one was strong and full and broad,
The other straight and tall—
And the elm tree and the pine tree
Grew by the castle wall.

There came a shipman to the shore
And hewed the pine tree down;
There came a woodsman to the wood
And felled the elm tree's crown;
There came two men who needed both
And marked and hewed them down.

And now the pine tree sails the sea
A topmast straight and tall;
And now the elm tree cradle stands
Where little children call;
And the elm tree and the pine tree
Have left the castle wall.

Our Story Teller.

MRS. VERNON'S BOARDER

(Continued)

"She would not mind, I think. We have not asked her; we never disturb her when she has those headaches."

The girl wanted to find out whether St. John would have preferred Katie's companionship, but she could not possibly ask the question, and, besides, she had a dim unacknowledged feeling, somewhere in a deep corner of her heart, that he would rather she herself went.

St. John saw that she was perplexed, and smiled to himself, but he asked no question.

"What part of the house are the orders for?" asked Heartsease.

"Did I not tell you? A private box, first tier, second from the stage."

"The best position in the house," said Heartsease, wondering who could have given the orders, for she knew there was scarcely any "paper" at the Vaudeville just now. "The School for Scandal" was drawing crowded houses. "Do we walk?"

"No; we shall have a hansom. If you are ready at twenty minutes to eight, that will be quite early enough."

Very lovely Heartsease looked when she came into the drawing-room, punctual to the time named, in a black velvet gown, and carrying the furred mantle in which St. John had first seen her.

She had casually alluded once to that visit of hers to St. Peter's, Eaton-square, and he had replied carelessly that he knew the church well, but had not pursued the subject.

"Ladies can be punctual, Mr. St. John," said the girl laughingly to him.

He was ready, and stood by the mantelpiece.

"Fasten my gloves, please, Katie," she added, holding out her hand; but St. John stepped forward.

"I protest," said he, "against being deprived of my privileges."

Heartsease turned to him with the slightest possible change of color, and surrendered her pretty hand.

Katie covertly watched him as he deftly performed the task, and settled her lips and nodded sagaciously—a mental nod—as she moved away.

A few moments later, St. John and Heartsease were seated side by side in a hansom bowling rapidly towards the Strand. Ah, what happiness this was to both, though only one fully divined the cause!

St. John looked down at the exquisite face so close to him with a wild longing to draw it yet closer. He could not do that, but he tenderly folded the opera-hood—Katie's handiwork—round her head.

"Good people are scarce," he said, as she looked up with a smile and softly-spoken "Thanks."

"Oh, I am strong," said she; "I never take care of myself."

"I must take care of you then." "Will you let me do so always?" was on his lips, but to utter the words would have been taking advantage of her.

She smiled again—a bright, happy smile—but did not look at him this time, and presently the cab stopped at the theatre.

He arranged matters as they went to the box that the box-keeper showed an unusual amount of deference to her companion, and when they were seated she remarked, laughing:

"That man treated you as if you had been the Prince of Wales."

"Did he?" said St. John, biting his lip; then he laughed. "I shouldn't wonder," he said, "if he takes me for a cousin of mine, who is as rich as a Jew; we are a good deal alike, I am told, but I have never seen him."

Perhaps others in the house, Heartsease thought, made the same mistake, for she observed several people in the stalls—both ladies and gentlemen—looking at St. John, and some nodded or bowed to him, all of which salutes he returned.

Some looked very surprised, especially a splendidly-dressed lady in an opposite box, of whom the girl presently heard the occupants of the next box talking as the "Marchioness" of something. This lady, who was young and handsome, waved her fan at St. John and nodded vigorously, and he bowed to her.

"She takes me for my cousin," he remarked.

"Don't you know her?" asked Heartsease.

"By sight, yes," replied St. John; and Heartsease wondered a little that he should bow to people he did not seem to know.

The girl was too *insouciante* to notice the looks of admiration directed towards herself, but her companion saw them fast enough, and felt very proud of his young charge. He saw also that the glances of those to whom he had bowed said plainly, "Who is she?" But he felt secure in a private box; no one would intrude when he had a lady with him. The exit from the theatre would be the difficulty.

Heartsease was sublimely happy. She was delighted with the piece, which she had only seen once before, and then with a cast inferior to the present; but the play was not "the thing." It was because Albert St. John was with her, and there was that subtle *rapport* between heart and heart which needs not always to be understood to be felt.

Now and then there would come across the girl's mind a thought of the cloud overhanging her home; but anxieties could hardly press heavily upon her to-night; everything was in a golden haze.

The green curtain fell, and Heartsease stifled a sigh.

"Have you enjoyed the play?" asked St. John, as he folded her mantle around her, lingering a little perhaps over the very agreeable operation.

"Oh yes," with a swift upward look and a vivid smile. "Thank you so much for the pleasure!"

"The thanks are from me to you, Heartsease. It has been the happiest evening in my life."

Heartsease did not know how to answer this last speech; perhaps it was only complimentary, but she felt there was more than compliment in his tone. She was silent, turning away a little, and folding up her programme with rather unnecessary elaboration.

St John seemed in no great hurry to depart, and the auditorium was nearly empty when he quitted the box with his companion; and he descended the still crowded stairs very slowly. In the lobby, Heartsease, and St. John too, for that matter, heard a female voice say:

"Spencer told me that he had gone yachting in the Mediterranean with Lord Brandon."

"Well," returned a man's voice, "either he must have come home, or there is a mistake somewhere; for you can't very easily mistake him; and there he was with the most——"

"Hist!"

"Do you hear those people?" whispered Heartsease innocently. "I wonder if they are talking of you—taking you for your cousin!"

"Most likely. Come this way," doubling cleverly. "I don't want to be greeted as somebody else, and have to make explanations."

They reached the door. A commissionaire standing there turned round, saluting respectfully:

"Carriage, my lord?" he asked.

St. John started, and looked at the man in surprise.

"No; hansom," he answered.

"Hansom—m!"

"Why, in the name of wonder," said St. John, as the man ran out on the pavement, "did the fellow tip me 'my lord'?"

"I don't know," said Heartsease, laughing; "but you certainly seem to be taken for some important personage to-night."

The hansom came up, St. John handed his companion in, and as he followed, rewarded the commissionaire with a shilling. That functionary did not put the usual question, "Where to?" He was discreet. But his discretion made St. John bite his lip hard.

Had he done right in bringing Heartsease here to-night?

He leaned back with a very clouded brow as the hansom drove off, but the cloud soon cleared; the danger was past now. No real harm was done, and Heartsease was close by his side.

He wished the distance home had been double; Keppel-street was reached all too soon.

Katie met them at the door, and St. John saw Heartsease give her sister a quick, anxious, questioning look, and caught Katie's half-whispered answer, "No—no letter," referring evidently to some special letter that was expected.

Then Heartsease asked, "How is mother?" and was told, "Much better—almost well."

This letter clearly referred to something of vital importance, since it was thought of even before the mother so dear to all the children.

During supper Kate looked more than usually grave, and was sometimes, St. John noticed, thinking of other things than what she was talking about.

But this preoccupation more nearly concerned himself than he was aware of.

When Heartsease went up to bed with her sister, both girls repaired to their mother's room to bid her good-night.

She kissed Heartsease tenderly, asked her how she had enjoyed herself, and so on; but when Heartsease was gone, and Kate was following, Mrs. Vernon called her back.

It had been about an hour previously that the pain b gan to lessen, and then Kate had explained matters to her mother.

Mrs. Vernon only said she did not object to Heartsease going, and Katie said:

"I want to speak to you later, mother, when you are well enough."

Now therefore Mrs. Vernon asked:

"What was it you wanted to say to me, Katie?"

Katie seated herself by the bedside, and took her mother's hand in her own.

"It was about Mr. St. John," she said, "and Heartsease. Have you noticed? I am sure he is fond of her. I don't mean that he shows her any special attention, but it is little things. He always looks up when she comes into the room, and if she begins to speak to someone else he attends to all she says—not overtly, but I don't think many things she does or says escape him."

Mrs. Vernon lay still with closed eyes, but the gentle pressure of the hand that held Katie's said, "Go on."

Kate continued:

"You will laugh at me, but I am a good deal older than Heartsease, and lookers-on see most of the game. If you had watched him to-night fastening Heartsease's gloves—well, of course a man might do a thing like that for a beautiful girl in a rather lover-like fashion, but it wasn't that merely, it was more. You would know what I mean."

"Yes, I know," said the mother gently; "it is nothing strange. I have thought the same myself. Heartsease is a singularly

[*To be Continued.*]

AUNT AGNEW'S PROTEGE.

"She's a great deal too pretty," said Mrs. Black, energetically twitching her needle through the stocking she was darning.

Mr. Black looked puzzled. He was an excellent business man, but he did not understand the complication of domestic diplomacy.

"Well, my dear, that isn't her fault, is it?" said he.

"Her fault? No! Who said it was?" snapped his wife. "You don't understand, Black!"

"No, I suppose I don't!" he returned meekly. "But I must confess I think it's rather hard to turn the poor girl adrift, after you have formally adopted her out of the asylum. And she such a good girl, too!"

I thought it would be so nice to have a daughter," sighed Mrs. Black.

"And wasn't it nice?"

"Yes, but I never thought of her growing up so pretty, and Frank falling in love with her."

"Wouldn't she make a good little wife for Frank?"

Black, you talk like a child. Our boys must marry rich. And Lilla must go away!"

"Where?"

"I don't care; anywhere, so that she will not be a daily stumbling block in Frank's path. For I have set my heart on marrying Frank to Priscilla Grant. She has property—she will be a suitable match."

So Lilla Redburn was called in—a dimpled, dark-eyed girl, with coral-red lips and a shy, bewitching way of looking at you from under her long eyelashes, and told without much unnecessary preamble that she was to be transferred to the roof of Miss Abigail Agnew, her adopted father's aunt.

She listened quietly. Lilla was not one of those who wear their hearts and tongues upon their sleeves, but her poor little heart sank down, down like a lump of lead in her bosom. And that night she cried herself to sleep.

Miss Abigail Agnew was sitting in her curious little room that evening when Lilla Redburn was announced. It was a quaint room, and Miss Agnew was a quaint woman, shrivelled, ancient and bowed over, with gold spectacles gleaming before her eyes and priceless yellow lace quilted after an antique fashion around her neck.

"Come in, Lilla, come in," said the old lady. "You see I know your name Price," to the maid, "bring the tea and toast." "You can't eat anything? Pshaw, you must eat! I'm not one to be trifled with, and I say you must eat. What made my niece Black send you away? Naughty girl, eh?"

Lilla colored scarlet and dropped her lids before the sharp, jetty fire of the old lady's eyes.

"I hope not, ma'am. I tried to do my best. I—I don't exactly know why she sent me here."

"I do, then," said Miss Agnew, pouring the tea out of a chased silver teapot, into a china set as delicate and transparent as gilded egg shells. "You were too pretty, my dear."

Lilla Redburn was very happy in her new home. Miss Agnew was peculiar, but there was a kernel of real honest kindness beneath the dry and uninviting husk of her outward manner, and Lilla soon contrived to penetrate to it. Yet sighed often—and Miss Agnew knew that she was not happy.

Not so very long afterward Mrs. Black received a short note from Miss Abigail Agnew:

DEAR NIECE: You have not been to see Lilla since she came here. She is a good, affectionate girl and I think she feels your neglect. But I write particularly to say that I have concluded to adopt a daughter of my own and settle all my little property upon her. ["Little property!" ejaculated Mrs. Black with a convulsive gasp, "and she is worth a quarter of a million!"] My lawyer thinks it is due to all my relatives to notify them of the fact, so no more at present from yours.

Very truly,
ANN ABIGAIL AGNEW.

One minute Mrs. Black sat twisting the note around and around in her fingers, while her husband drew a long, low whistle—and then she had resolved upon her tactics.

"Ned must go and see his aunt," she declared.

"There spoke the woman!" observed her husband. "You want to make a match between Ned and the new whim of Aunt Agnew's. I dare say she's a little girl of six."

Ned showed no unwillingness whatsoever to go to Aunt Agnew's.

"Of course I'll go," he said. "And I'll bring Lilla back for a visit. I say, mother, I've been intending to tell you for some time that I mean to marry Lilla Redburn!"

"Ned!"

"I do," stoutly asserted the young man. "She's good, and she's pretty and I love her; and I believe she loves me!"

"The ungrateful, audacious, scheming minx!" hysterically sobbed Mrs. Black. "Have I then been warming a viper in my bosom all these years?"

Failing any more satisfactory method of solving the problem, Mrs. Black resolved herself to accompany the rebel, Ned, to Aunt Agnew's.

"Dear Aunt Abigail," she sighed, as Lilla ran up stairs with her shawl, and bonnet, "what am I to do? Here's Ned persisting that he will marry Lilla Redburn!"

"Well, I guess the best way is to let him marry her," said Miss Agnew. "You can't either lock him up or bind him over to keep the peace, so far as I can see. But you haven't asked to see my adopted daughter."

"I came on purpose to be introduced to her," said Mrs. Black. "How old is she?"

"About eighteen."

"Oh, Ned! Ned! if only you had kept that rebellious heart of yours safe in your own possession!" she thought, adding aloud, "And pretty?"

"Well, people say so. Her she comes now."

Mrs. Black stretched her neck this way and that to see behind Lilla, who just then came into the room, blushing and lovely.

"Where? Pardon me—I may be dull, but I don't see."

"I have adopted Lilla Redburn," said Miss Agnew, dryly.

"And Lilla Redburn has promised to be my wife," said Ned Black, over the new heiress's shoulder. "So I don't see but that Aunt Abigail will have to adopt us both!"

"I'll take the matter into consideration," said the old lady. "I hope you are satisfied now, Niece Black!"

Lucky Black Cats.

"Get a black cat to like you, though, and you can tackle anything on earth and make it go," says a person of experience, who words are reported in the Chicago *Mail*.

"I'll bet that the men who have made big fortunes out of nothing had a black cat in the house. Yes, sir.

"I knew a young fellow who was in love—in over his head—and didn't know enough to play it easy. It was his first offense, and he wasn't posted. His girl was a thousand miles away, and he used to write her letters—three of 'em would make a book.

"One evening a black cat walked into his office just like he owned the place; and sized up everybody. Then it came to my young lover and just climbed up on his knee while he was writing, cuddled down and commenced to sing. It was an operatic cat, and sang like a prima donna. It kind of pleased the young fellow, and he petted it.

"After that it used to come around and sit down on his knee every evening, while he wrote to his girl, and the way that girl warmed up was amazing. She was sort of indifferent before, but she became terribly affectionate as soon as the black cat came into the game. But the blamed young clown didn't do anything for the cat but pet it. A cat can't live on getting its back stroked, so it left one day and didn't come back. Well, the girl froze up again and married the man who figures in the novels—A. Nother.

"This is a true story. I'll swear to it. But if you're charitable, you won't ask me how I know it, 'cause I'm a little tender about it yet.

"There's a saloon over on West Madison street that I noticed was for sale about a year ago. It didn't seem to catch on—a queer thing for a saloon, too. Anyway, it didn't prosper, and it looked pretty dingy.

"Somebody bought it after awhile, and its got to be a regular mint. Why? Just pass along there any day and you'll see a black cat climbing around in the window, over the bottle of extra dry, or stretched out on the cigar case taking a snooze.

"The proprietor told me that the cat walked in the third day he had the place, and that good luck came in with it and just settled down on everything. He wouldn't let that cat go for thousands. Why, I believe that if the bartender tried to knock down an honest dollar in that house the cat would give him away. I do, by jingo!"

Signs of Spring.

Soon flies the temperance bird, the crow, o'er hill, and dale, and plain; he does it, for he wants to know the farmers plans again. He marks the fields, when sailing by, where winter wheat was sown, and notes with a more eager eye where corn will soon be grown. He's loud of voice, his caws he boasts; reform, he claims, is his: meanwhile, as many a farm he coasts, attends he close to "biz." Type of extreme reformer he, no better e'er was born; he cuts the bourbon down, you see, by pulling up the corn.

'Tis now the tramp arouses him, from Southern haunt comes forth, and, showing what remains of vim, prepares to tramp up North. 'Tis now the 'armer when he goes at morn to work a field, unties the bulldog that he knows will keep his watcheye peeled. For summer suns will come apace and summer tramps appear, and ther'll be many a pretty race in days now drawing near; and many a pretty burst of speed the tramp must needs display if pace he'd show to serve his need on many a summer day.

With gloomy face and hat askew, with hair unkempt, unpolished shoe, with sloughing gait and actions queer, his necktie fastened 'neath his ear, he shuffles sulkily along, and looks as if there's something wrong. Wouldst know what means that battered hat that rusty, ragged, old cravat, that shambling gait, that tangled hair, that sullen aspect of despair? Approach and whisper in his ear: "Erastus, what's to pay, my dear?" And hear old 'Rastus, grumbling, say: "My wife is cleaning house to-day."—*Chicago Tribune.*

A Youthful Hero.

Washington Dispatch to Chicago News.

An application has been made to the Secretary of the Treasury for a medal to be given to a boy of twelve years under the law which permits those who have saved human life by heroic rescue to be so distinguished. The lad's name is Walter Kernochan. His father is a wealthy merchant in New York and his uncle is Lorillard, the tobacco manufacturer. Last fall, while wandering along the banks of the Shrewsbury river, in New Jersey, near his father's summer home, the boy's nurse, Anna Savetia, fell into the water. She sank twice, and then, according to the affidavits presented, the child, hearing her cries, ran to her assistance, and, throwing off his coat, sprang into the stream, seized her by the hair, held her head above water and swam ashore. He weighs less than sixty pounds, she more than 120. He is shown by evidence to be a phenomenal swimmer for a lad of his age, and to have taken to the water like a duck before he shed his petticoats. While the claim is regarded as unusual, and there are skeptics who cannot be convinced that such a feat could be performed by a boy of his age and weight, it is probable that he will be given a medal by the Government, as he has already received one from the Humane Society of New York. The matter has been referred to a committee consisting of Mr. Kimball, the Superintendent of Life-Saving Service, Soliciter McCue and Mr. Morton, the Superintendent of the Revenue Marine.

The Noble Red Man.

You can trust an Indian as far as you can see him; the further you see him the better you can trust him.

You have seen my escapes under various noms de plume in the border stories. My principal business has been escaping. Many a time I have left scores of bloody red skins on the plains—with a fast horse.

The Indian does not want much. His grandfathers once owned this country, and all he wants is the United States. He feels that he has been imposed upon by real estate agents too much.

One of the peculiarities of the Indian race is their method of dealing with their neighbors. Instead of throwing tin cans and dead cats over into their yards, they go and wipe them out, and that seems to end all farther controversy—on the part of the neighbors, at least.

Owing to the scarcity of the buffalo it is no more than natural that the Indian should sport with the cattle on the borders. He must have some fun or he can't laugh. The Indian has rights which a white man is bound to respect. Now, there is Geronimo—an ill-treated man, if ever there was one—I don't think that he ever killed more than 200 or 300 whites in his life, and here they send him to Florida! They don't want to offend him by hanging him or sending him to the penitentiary.—*Theo. Brown, in Tid Bits.*

Nervousness.

Anxious mother—"What is the matter with my daughter, doctor? She is not light-hearted and happy, as she used to be, but has grown melancholy and has a pained, anxious look."

Doctor—"How old is she?"

"Well, she—she don't look it, you know—she is 29."

"Ah! there is nothing the matter except nervousness."

"Why, doctor, she is not of a nervous temperament at all. Quite the contrary. What makes her nervous?"

"The future."

There is usually a reason to be found for doing what we really desire. On the other hand, there are plenty of arguments to prove that the same line of action may be injurious to other people. One day a teacher told her scholars that it was wrong to chew tobacco; when a small boy, with quite an important air, replied that he had seen a fellow chew because his teeth ached, and stoutly averred that it was not wrong for any one to chew tobacco if his teeth ached. This seemed to please the scholars very much, and the teacher was at first sorely puzzled to know how to answer such a stunning argument. At last she said to the boy, "Horace, if a girl should have the toothache and want to chew tobacco, what would she do?" Horace scratched his head and then said, resolutely, "She ought to have the tooth pulled." Thus our pet vices become our remedies, the while we direct our neighbors to the dentist round the corner.

All Sorts.

In laying out garden do not crowd things; give the crop a chance to grow, and yourself a chance to cultivate them.

Gray hairs are honorable, but that is no reason why they should insist on occupying so prominent a position as the butter dish.

Young hostess—"I must show you my baby, Mr. Brown; (absent minded)—"Yes—oh yes! but I haven't eaten any lately."

Lettuce, peas and onions will stand a pretty severe cold snap, and may be planted as soon as the frost is fairly out of the ground.

A shorthand writer at Washington can report a speech with so much rapidity that the speaker finds it utterly impossible to keep up with him.

The more rapidly air is brought into contact with cider the faster the latter will be changed to vinegar. Draw out a little cider daily and return it to the barrel, if for vinegar.

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The hop crop last year was about 92,000 tons, while the estimated consumption is 81,000 tons. Yet, as the hop crop is some times very uncertain, prices may go up again before the close of 1887.

The ideas which some people have of the purposes of churchgoing are very novel. A Minneapolis business man, who has lately been going to hear Mr. Simmons at the Unitarian, has suddenly announced that he must stop. "I have always been accustomed," said he, "to review my business affairs of the week during the service Sunday mornings. Somehow I never got any other so good an opportunity. Now, you can't do that when Simmons is talking. You have to listen. No, that is not the kind of preaching for me. I must quit."—*St. Paul Pioneer Press.*

Wait Till the Season's Over.

Laura—No, Janet, I don't think I shall ever marry.

Janet—Why have you come to this determination?

Laura—Oh, I see it is so difficult to find a man who will love me with all his heart and soul.

Janet—Well, dear, the base ball season will be over in October.

A Trifle in the Season.

A sad-eyed man stood on the safe side of a fence watching a vicious equine trying to kick a wagon to pieces.

"I wonder what club he's going to play with next season," soliloquised the sad-eyed man in audible tones.

"Shake!" exclaimed a bystander thrusting out his hand. "I'm a baseball empire myself."

Made it Different.

"Dallywag," said Fipkins, "I owe Gillispoon five dollars. Will you please give him this money as you pass his office this morning?"

"Sorry I cannot accommodate you; but I'd rather not call on him. I am owing him ten dollars myself."

"I see. Makes it 'different.'"

WHEN WOMEN VOTE.

When women shall rule by the ballot,
Which they hope to attain soon or late,
How grand will sound President Flossie,
And Nannie (Department of State)!
How dignified Gertie and Winnie
Will sit in their Cabinet chairs,
And Gussie and Lulie and Kittie
Transact Governmental affairs!
How majestic will Chief Justice Bertie
Inspire with judicial awe
Sweet Rosie and Sadie and Myrtie,
The learned expounders of law!
And when the great General Mollie
With her troops at the battle arrives,
Her name will strike fear to the terrified foe
And they'll turn and run for their lives!

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Red and yellow were bush and tree,
Whose shadows keep reflections deep
Down in the depths
Of the Tennessee!
Rippling, splashing
Tennessee;
Musical, dashing
Tennessee;
Babbling, brawling,
Faintly calling,
Tawney, sun brown'd,
Tennessee.

The world's asleep. Upon the bank
A limp flag floats. Rank on rank
Soldiers' graves, like crested waves
Seem to reach to infinity.
Throbs of the heart of other years!
Accept a pilgrim's prayer and tears.
No humble mound of earth can drown
Your battle shout: "All shall be free!"

'Mid slumbering sun and drowsy bee
A Northern wanderer comes to see—
To bend his head above the dead
'Neath the whispering
Trees on the Tennessee!
Sweeping, swirling
Tennessee;
Dimpled, purling
Tennessee;
Murmuring, flowing,
Onward going,
Placid, peaceful
Tennessee!

Phila., March 2, 1887. M. W. B.

Robert Garrett.

For some time now the attention of the railroad world has been centered upon Robert Garrett, the head executive of the Baltimore and Ohio, and the youngest president of a great railroad line in this country. Mr. Garrett has been attracting a great deal of interest for several months. He gave the grandest ball of the season at an expenditure of $20,000 in the finest mansion in the state of Maryland—a house that cost a cool half million. He took a party of friends in private cars to the Montreal carnival and occupied while there the biggest and most costly residence in the city. And now he figures as the central figure in the biggest railroad deal that the world has ever known. He is only 40 years old and he has all the pleasure that a high position and a fortune of $15,000,000 can give him. He believes in life. He always dresses in the latest style, has suits of clothes and canes and hats and shoes and neckwear galare, and he has a fresh bunch of violets as regularly as his breakfast. Everybody knows him in Baltimore, and it is a curiosity to see him promenading the fashionable streets. He is kept bowing almost continually. He has a smile that is worth a fortune. It charms the ladies, puzzles the men and baffles the reporters, and it abides with him always, adding youthfulness to his face and gladness to his heart.

John W. Garrett was to the Baltimore and Ohio what Scott was to the Pennsylvania road, and Vanderbilt was to the New York Central. His oldest son was Robert. Robert was a gay boy at Princeton college, and it was not thought that he would ever do any thing brilliant in a business way. But just here was where public opinion was wrong. He pitched into work and became one of the boldest, hardest working railroad men in the country. At the death of his father he became president of the great corporation. His management of that trust is recent history, and the story of the greatest deal of modern times is, of course, well known. Mr. Garrett's sister, Miss Mary Garrett, is the richest unmarried lady in the country.

Mr. Beecher and Straus

A Washington dispatch says: It turned out that the prevailing argument with the President in favor of sending Mr. Straus to Turkey as envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary was presented by the late Henry Ward Beecher in a letter from which the following is an extract:

"The bitter prejudice against Jews, which obtains in many parts of Europe, ought not to receive any countenance in America. It is because he is a Jew that I would urge his appointment as a recognition of his remarkable people, who are becoming large contributors to American prosperity, and whose intelligence, morality and large liberality in all public measures for the welfare of society, deserve and should receive from the hands of our government some such recognition. Is it not also a duty to set forth in this quiet, effectual method the genius of American Government, which has under its fostering care people of all civilized nations, and which treat them, without regard to civil, religious or race peculiarities, as common citizens? We send Danes to Denmark, Germans to Germany; we reject no man because he is a Frenchman. Why should we not make a crowning testimony to the genius of our people by sending a Hebrew to Turkey? The ignorance and superstition of mediæval Europe may account for the prejudices of that dark age; but how a Christian in our day can turn from a Jew I cannot imagine. Christianity itself suckled at the bosom of Judaism; our roots are in the Old Testament. We are Jews ourselves gone to blossom and fruit. Christianity is Judaism in evolution, and it would seem strange for the seed to turn against the stock in which it was grown."

A Pigeon Hawk.

The "devil hawk" of Arizona is a rare bird, and an interesting one. He is described as having remarkably handsome plumage, but a very ugly head. His talons are long and strong, and his beak is almost as sharp as a needle and very powerful. This bird, but for his head, when on the wing would pass for a pigeon. When seeking his prey he plays pigeon, and flies in among them unnoticed on account of his similarity and easily captures what he wants. He is the picture of grace and beauty and speed. It is estimated that there are not more than a dozen of them in the Territory. The Mexicans are superstitious about him, and regard his appearance as an evil omen.

Frank Connelly.

Frank Connely, who is the partner of Forepaugh, and who is trying to secure a theatre in New York, is frequently at the St. James Hotel. He was a newspaper man before he went into the show business. He has made money, and the chances are that he is going to be a very rich man. He is about 30 years old. He owes his success in life mainly to Frank McLaughlin, the chief owner of the Philadelphia *Times*. The friendship between these gentlemen sprang up in a rather singular manner. Connelly in his younger days was of a roving disposition, and worked in various cities as a newspaper reporter. He finally arrived in Philadelphia without any money, and was rather unfortunate in finding work. Instead of applying to subordinates he went direct to the owner of a paper. He called on Mr. McLaughlin, who is by no means an easy gentleman to approach. But Mr. Connelly walked into his office, sat down in a chair without being asked, and quickly told Mr. McLaughlin that he would like to go to work as a reporter on his paper. The publisher referred him to the city editor, but Mr Connelly said, "No, I would rather do business at the fountain head."

He was asked where he had worked last, and why he had left his position.

"I was discharged for not attending to business," he answered.

"And you expect me to employ you?" said Mr McLaughlin, somewhat surprised.

"Yes, of course; that is no reason why I should be negligent again. The experience is worth something to me."

"Well, I rather like your manner," said Mr. McLaughlin. "I guess you and I will get on pretty well together."

That very day Mr. Connelly went to work. A short time afterward he was promoted to the city editorship, and when he left that position Mr. McLaughlin lent him $5,000 without as much as a scratch of a pen to show for it, with which to start in the theatrical business. In less than six months Connelly did so well that he was able to pay this back dollar for dollar and have a handsome balance left.

Girls in Boy's Clothes.

A singular and romantic story comes by telegraph from Windom, Minn., a small town in the southwestern part of the State. Two young children wandered into the town Saturday evening. Their ages were about fourteen and sixteen. They gave their names as Charlie and Bertie Byers, of Rochester, N. Y. It was soon discovered that they were girls in boy's clothing, and then they admitted their names were Katie and Lilly Byers. Their story was that when very small they lived at Lindsay, Ont. They removed to Rochester after their parent's death, being taken there by a brother, W. A. Byers, now a resident of Calgary, Northwest Territory. Being badly treated at Rochester, they started without money to join their brother at Calgary. In order to get away they dressed in male attire. Their trip from Rochester to Windon was made on foot and in box cars as tramps. They are cared for at Windon. W. A. Byers, at Calgary, has been communicated with.

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From the Harrisburg Independent.

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"You are Westward bound, Mr. Blaine? Any fences to straighten or strengthen in that locality?"

"None whatever."

"What do you think of John Sherman as a tourist?"

"He's a gentleman, a graceful talker and a profound statesman."

"Is he a candidate for the Presidency, Mr. Blaine?"

"You must ask Mr. Sherman."

"What is your opinion of President Cleveland?"

Mr. Blaine hesitated a moment, and then said: "I think Mr. Cleveland has enjoyed his honeymoon hugely."

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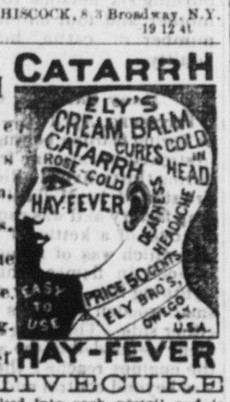

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Burned to Death.

NEW YORK, April 8.—A fire terrible in its effect broke out in the five story tenement at No. 12 Essex street at 11:45 last night, and of the 200 people—men, women and children—who were sleeping in the building, nineteen were so badly burned that it is not possible that they can live any length of time. How many are dead in the burned building cannot be learned until this morning, when a thorough search will be made.

As soon as the flames were discovered in the cellar of No. 12 Essex St., which is occupied by a man named Levy as a bakery, by a young man who was passing at the time he gave the alarm, and a policeman on the beat broke down the door and ran through the building shouting "fire!" and pounding on the doors. The smoke rolled up in dense clouds, nearly suffocating those who, half awake, opened their doors to escape.

Quickly the flames in the cellar gained headway and went through the wooden floor into the hallway on the first floor. Escape by way of the stairs was entirely cut off and the 200 frantic, terror stricken mortals fled to the roof, carrying their children and whatever articles of value they could grab in their hurry. The roof was one mass of struggling shrieking humanity. Thicker came the smoke and through it could be seen the leaping flames and wilder louder grew the cries for help.

Three alarms were sent out and the engines and ladder companies answered quickly. As soon as the people on the roof had been rescued by way of the fire escapes, the firemen went through the building and carried out 19 injured people. They were women, men and children, half grown and little helpless babies.

Many of those taken to Bellevue hospital last night were more frightened than hurt.

A girl about 16 years old, supposed to be Katie Schman, dead; Mary Schuman, aged 44 years; Sarah Schuman, aged 13 years, and Betsy Schuman, aged 3 years, all burned about the face and hands, but not fatally; Libia Krakoff, aged 53 years, badly burned raving in delirium and pain; Jacob Crabow, aged 12 years, back and legs badly burned; Hannah Kropinsky, aged 40 years, face and hands burned; Rudolph Kropinsky, aged 14 years, face and hands burned; Rebecca Weiss, aged 23 years, face and hands burned; Ida Weiss, aged 14 years, not seriously burned; Daisy Weiss, 17 weeks old, body badly burned; Isaac Zimmerman, 2 years old, body, face and hands burned; unknown girl, about 3 years old inhaled fire and is unconscious, will probably die.

The rest of the injured left the hospital after having their wounds dressed. Most of the injured are doing fairly well except the girl, who is senseless, and the Crabow family, who are most of the time delirious. Five thousand dollars will probably cover the loss to property by the fire, and $2,000 will put the house in repair. The police this morning had their hands full in keeping back about 10,000 people who visited the scene of the fire. The police thoroughly inspected the building and ascertained that there were no dead bodies in the ruins, as reported in some of the morning papers.

A Towns Bad Luck.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., April 8.—The village of Cochecton, Sullivan county, is again flooded for the fourth time this year. The warm weather and rain on Monday night made high water in the Delaware river. On Tuesday afternoon the water was running over Cochecton flats and at midnight had reached the Presbyterian church where the stream divided, a portion taking the main highway and the balance pouring through the village street past Beache's stores and Knapp's hotel. The stores and dwellings were inundated to a depth of three feet.

The ice in the river bed remains frozen, preventing the water from taking its natural channel. Two farms below Cochecton have been washed out. There is no communication between the railroad in Cochecton and the bridge over the Delaware except by boats. A number of boats have been wedged in the ice and many have narrowly escaped being swept away.

The Knights' Convention.

HARRISBURG, April 8.—The committees appointed by the convention of the Knights of Labor yesterday to consider pending legislation affecting their interests have been busy employed all day in performing that duty. Reports have been agreed upon on some cases but more will be considered until they have been read before the convention. The committee on agriculture recommends the passing of the following resolutions:

Whereas, The farmers of this common wealth are suffering from unjust and unequal taxation, which is crippling one of Pennsylvania's greatest industries; therefore, be it.

Resolved, That this convention recognizes the vast agricultural interests of our state, and pledges itself to support any just measure in their behalf.

The convention is now discussing reports of the various committee. A session will be necessary to-morrow to finish up the business before it.

Not so Bad as Reported.

ST. LOUIS, April 8.—The Globe Democrat prints the following to-day:

"Word was received in St. Louis late last night to the effect that Mr. James G. Blaine was seriously ill at Fort Gibson, Indian Territory, and that physicians had been telegraphed for."

Another private telegram from Fort Gibson Indian Territory, received here at 12.30 p. m. to-day, says Mr. Blaine's physician reports him doing very well, that he has but slight fever, and that his pulse and temperature are favorable.

ST. LOUIS, April 8.—The following dispatch was received by the Associated Press at 3.30 to-night in reply to a telegram sent this morning to the commandant of the post at Fort Gibson, asking for an account of Blaine's sickness:

Fort Gibson, I. T., April 8.

To the Associated Press—Mr. Blaine is suffering from bronchial catarrh, with fever of a remitting type. He sleeps well and has no typhoid symptoms. His respiration is normal, 15 per minute.

[Signed CHARLES F. BORNE,
Post Surgeon.

R. C Kerns, a near personal friend of Mr. Blaine's, accompanied by Dr. H. H. Mudd, a prominent physician of this city, left here at 1 o'clock p. m. by special train for Fort Gibson.

What Fishermen Think.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., April 10.—The fishermen are indignant over President Cleveland's letter and say he is catering to the Canadians.

"We will have to fight yet," said one. "Cleveland will do nothing; he has done nothing in the past. The English have a mortgage on the administration. If our interests are to be sacrificed, the Canadians will have a free market." Another owner said: "The president practically asks the fishermen of America to sacrifice this great industry of theirs for the good of the country, and asks us to patriotically bear with all the insults heaped upon us by Canada. Gloucester fishermen are not unreasonable in their demands. We have ordered our skippers to keep away from Canada and not give them a chance. Now, all we ask is that the president use the retaliatory power given to him by congress when our commercial rights are abused."

Mr. Fitz J. Babson, President of the National Fishery association, says: "Fishermen of the United States desire nothing of the executive contrary to the spirit of his communication. The question of the application of the power given by congress is entirely in his hands. It is one of those peculiar positions in which the strong, good sense of the president hesitates to believe that the unjust position assumed by Canada will be persevered in, and, while every citizen of the United States desires to be friendly and peaceable, it depends on Canada whether good will and amity shall be preserved."

A Shocking Accident.

POTTSVILLE, April 11.—A shocking accident occurred in the mine of the Chamberlain colliery at St. Clair this afternoon. Miss Berlista Shaul, of Sharon Springs, New York, a student of Vassar college, was visiting Miss Mammie Keiter, of St. Clair, a fellow student. The two young ladies, in company with a young man named Harry Short, and Edwin Thompson, one of the operators of the colliery, entered the mine for the purpose of giving Miss Shaul an oportunity to inspect the operation of mining coal.

The mine had not been working for a week and none but the party of explorers were inside at the time. In an adjacent slope, however, were Albert Thompson, another of the firm, and several others who were making examinations of the works. They were startled by hearing an explosion, and, knowing that the party had just entered the other slope, they hastened thither to investigate. About a hundred and fifty yards from the foot of the slope they came upon Messrs. Short and Thompson and the two ladies, lying upon the ground, all frightfully burned and mangled.

They were taken out as speedily as possible and medical attendance obtained. Miss Keiter's face was burned beyond recognition and her skull fractured and ankle broken. She died this evening. Miss Shaul had a leg fractured and was terribly bruised and burned but may survive. Short's head is a mass of cuts and contusions and he is badly burned. He remains unconscious and his recovery is doubtful. Thompson is painfully but not fatally bruised. The supposition is that the party carried a naked lamp and encountered a body of fire damp, which igniting from the lamp, exploded with tremendous force. The lady victims are about 20 years of age and both were accomplished and highly connected. Miss Shaul was to have been valedictorian at the coming commencement of Vassar college.

Stopping Sunday Ball Playing.

LONG ISLAND CITY, N. Y., April 10.—About sixty sheriffs visited the various parks used as base ball grounds in the villages of Maspeth, Middle Village and Ridgewood, Queens county, this afternoon and stopped the ball games in progress. At Atlantic Park, where the Cuban Giants and Newarks were playing before about four thousand spectators Captain Kavanaugh, and his fifteen deputies were surrounded by the crowd and for a time it looked as if there would be trouble.

Some of the crowd urged the players to proceed with the game despite the presence of the officers and others picked up stones, threatening the officers' lives. Finally the crowd was driven off and the playing ceased. Not less than 15,000 persons had paid for admission to the several grounds. The People's Recreation Grounds in this city, upon which six clubs played, were crowded with spectators, and the officers did not interfere.

Still Unidentified.

RAHWAY, N. J., April 10.—The body of the murdered girl found near here March 26 and her clothing were exhibited to-day. About two thousand persons visited the morgue. The girl's head was surrounded with flowers. The appearance of the face has been greatly improved. A number of person claimed that they recognized the body but on investigation it was found that their statement did not agree with the facts known by the authorities. District Attorney Wilson has officially notified Undertaker Ryno that the body must not be buried until he gives an order to that effect. The funeral will be held to-morrow and the body will be placed in a receiving vault.

The Drought in Texas.

GALVESTON, April 10.—The past week has been one of expectancy and disappointment to the people of Texas, no rains of any consequence having fallen throughout the immense area now suffering from drought. Dispatches and letters to the Galveston News, San Antonia Express and other papers of the state continue to detail the wide spread and threatening character of the drought, the severity of which has perceptibly increased since last report. The drought now extends from the far western grazing lands across the state for a distance of 800 miles into the pine region bordering Louisiana, but decreases in severity as it approaches the pineries, from which section complaints are of recent date.

The Prairie Fire.

ACHISON, Kas., April 12.—Reports concerning the destruction of life and property caused by the prairie fire that swept over the eastern portion of Norton and Graham counties Saturday last are as yet meagre and unsatisfactory, but enough is known to appall the stoutest hearts. The fire started near Nicodemus, in Graham county. The wind, which was blowing forty miles an hour, carried the flames over and through the dry grass at a frightful speed. The general destruction of property commenced near Roscoe, in Graham county.

Here the fire spread over the country for fully two and a half miles in width and as the wind carried it north, was constantly spreading until it was seven miles wide where it crossed the north fork of the Solomon river. Three miles east of Dinsmore a few houses were burned and every stable with its stacks of hay and cribs of grain was burned, leaving hundreds of farmers almost destitute. It is a pitiful sight to pass over the burned district and see thousands of burned chickens, turkeys and hundreds of hogs, with occasional horses, and numerous cattle. Almost every farmer lost fifty to 500 bushels of corn besides small grain.

It is definitely known that from thirteen to sixteen lives were lost in the two counties, but the names have not been learned. Four children perished in one family. How far the fire extended north from Solomon is not known, but it must have traveled a long distance. At the same time another fire swept down the south fork of the Solomon to a point near Mill Crook, sweeping everything in its path and burning six persons to death, a father, mother and four children, and a large number of cattle, horses, hogs and poultry.

Many Families Homeless.

PITTSBURG, April 11.—A disastrous fire at Spring Garden borough this afternoon destroyed twenty-one frame houses, rendering thirty-five families homeless. The fire started in Michael Waidschmeidt's soap factory and was caused by the boiling over of a kettle of fat. The building, which was of frame, was soon enveloped in flames, which spread with lightning like rapidity to a large row of small wooden buildings adjoining it on either side. The Allegheny fire department responded to the alarm, but before the engines reached the scene the fire was beyond control and in a short time the soap factory and twenty-one dwellings were in ruins. The occupants of the houses had barely time to escape with their lives, and were unable to save any of their household effects. They are all poor people and the loss will fall heavily upon them.

To-night the thirty-five families, numbering over one hundred persons, are without shelter and many of them are being cared for by the neighbors. The loss is estimated at about $30,000 on which there is a small insurance. Spring Garden is a small place just outside the limits of Allegheny City.

Blamed It On the Sun.

TROY, N. Y., April 11.—There were two terrific explosions at the nitro glycerine works at Plattsburg yesterday afternoon. The first occurred at 2.15 o'clock and the second seven minutes later. It is thought that the sun raised the temperature of the substance, which was mixed outside of the factory. The first explosion scattered fire in the store and caused the second explosion of six hundred pounds of nitro glycerine.

Nothing was left of the large brick building used as a factory but an immense hole in the ground. The windows were broken in buildings in Plattsburg and the shock was felt in Burlington, Vt. Had the explosion occurred a few minutes later there would have been a terrible loss of life, as hundreds of persons were on their way to the scene of the accident.

Mr. Blaine Much Better.

ST. LOUIS, April 11.—A special from Ft. Gibson, I. T., says: Blaine passed an easy and comfortable night. He awoke three times each time partaking of nourishment of milk. In the morning he appeared very much refreshed and ate a hearty breakfast, relishing the meal and swallowing fibre and all (heretofore his stomach refused anything solid.) His respiration and temperature are normal. The weather is warm and threatens rain, a favorable condition for the patient. Dr. Byrn, considers all danger now past, but requires Mr. Blaine to remain in his room for at least one week.

Briefs.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Willie Russell, the 14-year-old stepson of Mr. Frank Wheaton, was fatally shot this morning by Harry Adams, another boy, who was showing him a revolver. The Adams boy did not know the weapon was loaded.

MEADVILLE, Pa., April 10.—During a family quarrel last night Mrs. John Buchholz seized a lighted lamp and hurled it at her husband's head. The burning missile exploded and in an instand both husband and wife were enveloped in flames. Buchholz dragged his wife from the burning building but she was so badly injured that death relieved her sufferings at an early hour this morning. Buchholz was also terribly burned and now dying.

MILWAUKEE, April 10.—A Neagavne, Michigan, dispatch says a peculiarly horrible accident occurred at the Lake Angeline mine Friday night. A miner named Benjamin Marston was coming from the bottom of the mine in a "skip" in which ore is hoisted, when he stuck his head out at the third level when it was cut off as though with a knife. The dismembered head dropped 180 feet to the sixth level and struck a miner on the arm.

HARRISBURG, April 11.—An opinion from Ex-United States Attorney General Brewster to the State Liquor league will be presented to the legislature to-morrow that the Brooks' high license bill is illegal. He contends that the object expressed in the bill to restrain and regulate the sale of liquors merely serves to raise revenue and there are more objects in the bill besides for instance, to repair roads, etc., than are expressed in the title. Other constitutional objections are also offered. The opinion is expected to have great force here.

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 11.—In the senate to-night the daily hour of meeting was fixed at 11, instead of 10, o'clock a. m. Walling introduced a bill to make it felony to break in a railroad car, caboose or locomotive.

The house held a brief session this evening and read all the bills on the calendar on first reading. By unanimous consent, the house bill to increase the salary of the deputy secretary of international affairs to $2,500 was read a second time.

HARTFORD, Conn., April 11.—James T. Platt died this morning in Weathersfield in his 85th year. He was a democrat and was in congress in 1885. He was defeated for the governorship in 1859 by Buckingham, republican.

CINCINNATI, O., April 11.—News has been received from Bantam, Clement county, Ohio, of the death there last Friday of Samuel Simpson, brother of General U. S. Grant's mother, aged 91 years. He was always a favorite relative of General Grant and was visited by him at the time of his last journey to Cincinnati.

CHICAGO, Ills., April 11.—Edward Barry, the prize fighter, who was badly beaten about the head late last night in a saloon on State street by the barkeeper and porter, Thomas Conroy and Thomas Hidges (latter a colored man) is lying at the county hospital at the point of death, with his skull fractured. Erysipelas has set in and there is little hope that he will recover. His assailants were held in bail pending the result of Barry's injuries.

LONDON, April 11.—The attendance at the meeting at Hyde park to-day to protest against coercion in Ireland is estimated at 150,000. After speeches by Lord Mayor Sullivan, Michael Davitt and others, a bugle was sounded, and at this pre-arranged signal a resolution condemning the crimes bill was put simultaneously at all the platforms and carried amid a roar of cheers.

ST JOHN'S, N. F., April 11.—The sealing steamship Eagle, which arrived here to-day, reports that the debris and apparent wreckage with the ship's name thereon, found on the ice were flung overboard to make room for seals. There is great rejoicing among the sealers' families over the arrival of the supposed lost vessels.

LANCASTER, Pa., April 11.—Casper Koehler, a prosperous brewer of this city, made an assignment to-day. Liabilities, $20,000; assets, $10,000.

PEORIA, Ill., April 11.—A case of remarkable coincidence has just been brought to light. Some time ago Pat Conners was killed on the railroad here, and it now transpires that his brother was killed in Pennsylvania in the same way, day and hour.

AFTER a strong editorial on the speech of the Anarchist Most, the Philadelphia Times adds: Chicago presents the strange spectacle of halting long over the execution of a lot of the most cowardly and atrocious murderers ever brought to the bar of justice. Had Americans, under some sudden excitement, murdered policemen by bombs they would have been hung long ago and there should be at least as swift punishment for men whose profession is that of anarchy and murder.

AN innocent piece of poetry was palmed of on the New York *Evening Sun*. It was very complimentary to that paper and praised it in the highest terms. The catch in it was in its being an acrostic, the first letters of the lines forming the sentence, "Dana is a fraud." There was need for the office cat that day.

BUSINESS prosperity in America has set the tide of emigration from Europe in full flow. While skillfull mechanics, the industrious and worthy of all classes will be warmly welcomed, vigilance should be exercised to prevent this country from becoming the dumping-ground for the criminals, paupers and other offscourings of foreign countries.

MAYOR FITLER, of Philadelphia, and Mayor Hewitt, of New York, are each making a vigorous effort to drive the disgraceful dives and other bad places out of these cities. Their good example might well be followed by the authorities of smaller cities.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

—At length the Tyrone correspondent of the Altoona *Times* has an item. Here it is. Read it carefully and do not miss a word. "Bellefonte pays her Chief of Police the munificent sum of $20 per month and his assistants $15 each. And yet this is the town wherein the DAILY NEWS is published! Yes, and they want the capital, too."

—Mr. L. T. Munson has succeeded Mr William Emery as business manager at the works of the Bellefonte Nail Company, Lim. We are pleased to state that he will retain his position as manager at Glass Works. He is an excellent business man and the prosperity of both institutions will continue under his superintendence.

—The orchestra composed of young men of Bellefonte and Milesburg, which renders music on most public occasions, has attained an excellent degree of proficiency under Mr. Chas. Nau. This fact was apparent on Monday evening at the entertainment. Some of the music rendered was particularly good.

—Lock Haven expects to have another brass band.

Two Base Ball Nines to Practice.

On Tuesday evening a large and enthusiastic meeting in the interest of base ball was held in the room of the Kismet Club. As a result of the deliberations, the following two nines were chosen with the object of playing a series of games, a permanent nine to be chosen by a committee to be selected for that purpose. The two nines selected on Tuesday are as follows:

NO. 1

Hutchinson	1st b.
Cassidy	2d b
Bart	3d b
Hamill	S. S.
Stuart / Kurtzenbauer	Catcher and r. f.
Crider	p
Harris	l. f.
McKnight	c. f.

NO. 2.

Dewitt	1st b
Yerger	2d b
C Brown	3d b
Clark	S. S.
Hoffman / J. Brown	Catcher and r. f.
Snyder	p.
Parker	l. f.
Laker	c. f.

The catcher and right field in each of the nines can change positions. The first practice game will be played on the fair ground next Friday afternoon.

Spring Mills.

J. M. Runkle and Max A. Kennelly have been away on a visiting trip to some of their Buffalo friends and school mates. They spent five days "taking in" the scenery of the country. Of the view, one of them said: "It is the grandest thing I ever saw."

Thomas Kennelly is busy getting the lumber and stone for his house. He will commence building soon.

The Challenge Band has moved its place of meeting for practice from the Grange Hall to the school house.

The Reformed Sunday-school had enjoyable Easter exercises on Sunday evening. The services were conducted by Prof. D. M. Wolf. The house was crowded and the congregation was much edified.

Thomas Crust, of Fillmore, has been in town on a visit to his numerous friends hereabouts. Glad to have him come.

Prof. W. P. Hosterman's school opened on Monday.

Miss Fischer, of Boalsburg, is teaching music in this county. EQO.

—Some one who might have made a large sum of money if during the two past years he had carried on car building at the car works, can now condemn his own folly in missing this opportunity. If a large number of cars had been manufactured they might be sold at 50 per cent profit. There has not been a time in many years when cars were not in demand. There is more encouragement to resume the work of car building than there was to again begin that of glass blowing. Cars were never manufactured here at a loss, while the early history of glass manufactory here showed many reverses and discouragements. Now, the glass factory is a success, why should not the car manufactory be even a greater one?

From the Presbytery.

Rev. William Laurie, D. D., has been chosen moderator of the Huntingdon Presbytery, in session in Hollidaysburg on Tuesday.

The sum of $1,482 was raised last year for Presbyterial Missions, and about $1100 has been expended.

Mr. T. S. Anderson, a candidate for the ministry, was given leave to preach temporarily.

Rev. R. Hamill, D. D., was made a member of the Judicial Committee.

The statistical reports show that 487 persons had been added to the churches by profession of faith and 228 by certificate.

Sociable this Evening.

The Lutheran congregation will hold one of their popular sociables on Thursday evening at the home of Dr. J. W. Rhone. The Lutheran sociables are always among the most enjoyable in Bellefonte and there is not a more hospitable or agreeable household in this town than that of Dr. Rhone. The many people who look forward to these sociables with delightful anticipation will be pleased to know that the sociable is to be held at Dr. Rhone's this evening. We predict that there will be a large attendance. An invitation is extended to the public to be present.

—Many of the merchants of this town do not patronize the advertising columns of this paper and they do not know why. They will not deny that our circulation is such as to warrant the expenditure of a little money in advertising but they expect us to keep right on fighting for the town's good and theirs without assisting just a little themselves. Wake up.—*Renovo News.* This is also the case in Bellefonte, though the merchants would perhaps be surprised to know that they are asleep and some one else is walking off with their trade.

—The Presbytery of Huntingdon met on Tuesday, in Hollidaysburg. Rev. Wm Laurie, D. D., was in attendance and on Tuesday evening Rev. James P. Hughes also went to Hollidaysburg to be present at the closing sessions and also to meet his brother, a Presbyterian minister located in the West, who is in Hollidaysburg. He expects his brother to visit him here.

SPECIAL MENTION.

In Town and Hamlet.

The seeds of intermittent and billious remittent fever germinate and bear evil fruit. No community has altogether escaped it. In populous wards of large cities bad sewage causes it, and in their suburbs stagnant pools in sunken lots breed it. There is at once a remedy and a means of prevention. Its name is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which is, without peradventure, the most potent antidote in existence to the malarial virus. Fortified with this incomparable, saving specific, miasmatic influences may be encountered with absolute impunity. Disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels, begotten by miasma-tainted water, or any other cause, succumb to the beneficient corrective named, and rheumatic, kidney and bladder troubles are surely removable by its use when it is given a persistent trial.

—Did any one ever find out what is represented by the scene on the drop curtain in Humes' Hall? It is not an unpleasant combination of colors, but such impossible people and hills and mountains were never before imagined. It is interesting and worthy of careful study, even though we cannot tell what it means.

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Gilmore's Aromatic Wine cures chronic diarrhœa, cholera morbus, dysentery and all bowel complaints; female weakness, nervous debility, dyspepsia and loss of strength. It is the best tonic known for men, women and children.

Gilmore's Magnetic Elixir cures colds, coughs, hoarseness, bronchitis, and is the best remedy ever produced for all diseases of the throat and lungs. One teaspoonful will relieve the worst case of asthma in one minute.

Gilmore's Neuralgia Cure is a positive remedy for sick headache and neuralgia in all its forms.

Gilmore's Pile Specific is one of the best and most reliable special remedies ever introduced. It never fails to afford relief.

—The ice cream days and evenings are here and are being taken advantage of by everybody.

Snyder Sisters will have their millinery opening Friday, April 22nd. All are invited. 19 15 2t*

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Bellefonte Markets.

CORRECTED WEEKLY.

BELLEFONTE, April 13, 1887.

Red Wheat, new, per bushel	$ 85
Mixed Wheat, new	80
Buckwheat	40
Rye per bushel	50
Corn (shelled)	45
Corn (ears)	40
Oats	25
Cloverseed, fair to good	$4.50
do prime and extra prime	4.75
do choice	5.00
Flour, retail, per barrel	4.65
Flour, wholesale	4.00
Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$10.00—$12.00
Nova Scotia Plaster	$8.50

Provision Markets.

[Corrected weekly by A. C. Moyer & Bro.]

Apples, dried, per pound	5
Cherries dried, per pound, seeded	12
Dried Currants, per pound	10
New Raisins, per pound	12½
Beans, per quart	10
Fresh Butter per pound	25
Cheese, per pound	10
Country Hams, per pound	12
Hams sugar cured	15
Shoulders	10
Breakfast Bacon	12
Country Bacon	8
Lard, per pound	8
Eggs, per dozen	15
New Potatoes, per bushel	50
Dried Beef	20
Canned Beef, per pound	25
Country Side, per pound	8
Canned Tomatoes, per can	12½—15
Canned Corn, per can	10—12½
Lemons, per dozen	30
Dried Sweet Corn, per pound	12
Apple Butter, per gallon	50
Roller Flour, per sack	$1.31
Apples, per bushel	1.25

Miscellaneous.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration on the estate of Job M. Lucas, late of Curtin township, Centre county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to H. H. Harshberger, Esq., of Bellefonte, Pa., to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims or demands, will make known the same without delay.

19 14 6t H. H. HARSHBERGER,
April 20, 1887. Administrator.

THE TRIAL LIST.

The causes for the second week of April court will be the following:

F X Lehman vs. P J Fagan et al. Orvis for plaintiff; Hastings & Reeder for defense.

Isaac Thomas et al. vs. Jno Bilger et al. Orvis for plaintiff; for defense, Hastings & Reeder.

Jane Poorman et al. vs. W C Grove et al. Hastings & Reeder for plaintiff; Spangler & Hewes for defense.

Henry J Rothrock vs Centre County Mutual Fire Ins. Co. Hoy for plaintiff; Dale for defense.

F X Lehman vs W G Rook. Spangler & Hewes, and Orvis, Bower & Orvis for plaintiff; Hastings & Reeder for defense.

D Z Kline, trustee, vs H R Curtin, administrator. Beaver & Gephart will appear for plaintiffs.

A H Foust, administrator, vs John D Decker et al. Hoy will represent plaintiff; Spangler and Hewes the defense.

Geo M Fetzer vs John Fetzer. Beaver & Gephart and Orvis, Bower & Orvis will be the opposing legal counsel.

Peter Smith vs Daniel P Rishel. Orvis Bower & Orvis for plaintiff; Spangler & Hewes for defense.

D S Kauffman & Co. vs Farmers' Mutual Ins. Co., &c. Hastings & Reeder for plaintiffs; Orvis, Bower & Orvis for defense.

John McMath vs Austin Lynn. Spangler & Hewes for plaintiffs; Orvis, Bower & Orvis for defense.

Com. of Pa., &c vs John I Rankin et al. Spangler & Hewes for plaintiff; Love for defense.

Singer Manufacturing Co. vs Wm Halderman. Col Keller and the Messrs Dale are the legal counsel.

G W Campbell vs A M McClain & Co. Hasting & Reeder will be opposed to Col Keller.

Henry Ribling vs Wm Parker et al. Orvis, Bower & Orvis and Hastings & Reeder will conduct the case.

Centre county vs Overseers of Spring Twp. Fortney for the county and Orvis for the township.

Samuel F. Foster use of, &c., vs John F. Potter—two cases, Orvis, Bower & Orvis being for plaintiff and Fortney for defense.

John G Rimmey vs Benjamin Conley. Orvis, Bower & Orvis attorneys for plaintiff; Beaver & Gephart for defense.

Rudolph Kreider vs Robert Meek. Legal counsel, Beaver & Gephart and Orvis, Bower & Orvis.

In the four cases mentioned in this paragraph Hastings & Reeder will represent the plaintiffs, viz., George W Campbell vs T F Adams, Orvis, Bower, & Orvis for defense; Francis Davis vs Jas L Sommerville, Hoy for defense; Jona Shuey et ux, vs B R, B & B E R R Co., Gephart for defense; Boro of Milesburg vs J Miles Green et al, Keller for defense.

A J Shivery vs B R, B & B E R R Co. Dale for plaintiff; Gephart for defense.

Singer Manufacturing Co. vs Wm H Evey. Keller for plaintiff, Spangler & Hewes for defense.

Here are three cases in which Orvis, Bower & Orvis figure for plaintiffs. John A Hunter, &c., vs James & William Cross, J G Love for defense; Wm G Carner vs Anthony Carney's executor, Hastings & Reeder for defense; Dr H K Hoy vs Overseers of Benner township, Spangler & Hastings for defense.

B B Kramer vs W Miles Walker, sheriff. Hastings & Reeder for plaintiff, Orvis, Bower & Orvis for defense.

Rockville Mills Items.

April 8, 1887.

Miss Sallie Morris, the bright and charming daughter of Hon. John Morris, of Loganville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jno Brown. Mr. Brown is the proprietor of the Rockville mill.

Miss Lydia Singer, daughter of William Singer, Esq., of Eagleville, is spending a few days at Rockville mill with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Page.

Our young friend, Charlie Herr, thinks it is hard on the back to hide stones under the ties. Charlie you must not give out so soon.

Mr. Cooper Simcox, the axe handle man, says he can make fifteen handles per day by hand. He has sent them as far as California. They take the lead of any handles in the market.

Mr. Lewis Montgomery Showers, the only son of Jacob Showers, says those are pretty girls at Brown's and Pages. You are right, Lewis. BUCK SHOT.

Howard Items.

Solomon Candy paid his family a flying visit last week.

Eugene Kline has gone to Paddy's Run, Clinton county, to rusticate.

Emanuel Pletcher has gone to Clearfield county, to work at his trade.

James Miller, an expert telegraph operator who is convalescing from a savere spell of illness, is on a visit to his many friends at Howard.

Mrs. Leathers, generally known as "Aunt Polly Leathers," had an attack of paralysis on Sunday last.

John H. Long, and his new wife, will soon commence housekeeping.

The business boom has not yet reached Howard, and every day its appears to be getting further away.

One of Howards' amiable young ladies, Miss Edith Holter, arrived home last Saturday from an extended visit to friends. She was warmly welcomed home.

—The wasps, flies and other such accompaniments of Summer are appearing.

Why Not Car Works?

The other day we asked a gentleman whose business ability and judgment have been proven by successful experience, what he considered the best kind of a factory to put in operation in the Bellefonte car works, and he unhesitatingly answered—a car manufactory. He emphasized as important that a skilled car builder should manage the business. He recalled the fact that when the car works were closed, it was not from lack of success in operating them, nor owing to lack of demand for cars. Cars were in demand then and they are in demand at the present time.

Here they are—$60,000 buildings, erected especially for car works, standing idle. They can be purchased for one-third their original cost, and there is no business in the country which promises a more steady market. Railroad companies, who give orders for cars, are rich and able to pay promptly. Notwithstanding the condition of the markets or the rate of wages, cars get mashed up and must be replaced. It is not policy on the part of the railroad company to put any limit to the number of cars in use.

The gentleman in question has about as much influence with railroad companies as any one in the town. He has wealth. Let him or some other good business man purchase these works and put them in operation, and thus make a fortune and add to the business boom of the town.

Easter Eggs.

We calculate that 2000 dozen eggs were sold in Bellefonte on Saturday. One thousand dozen of these were sold at the stores and an equal number were vended from house to house, or delivered according to contract. If one-half of these, or 1,000 dozen were eaten on Sunday, it would allow about 5 eggs to each man, woman and child in the town. We have heard some people unblushingly confess that they eat one dozen each, consequently, other people fell far below the average. We sadly fear that the only observance that a few people pay to Easter is in their enormous consumption of eggs.

More Imposing than Definite.

The President's letter to the Gloucester fishermen is a rather brilliant specimen of the art of turning out an imposing public document without saying anything in particular.

On due reflection, the majority of the public will be likely to perceive that this was what the occasion called for. The subject to which the President's attention had been call by an aggrieved interest, involved a grave international dispute. It was necessary for the President to reply, and it was highly important that he should say nothing rash. Consequently he replies with glittering generalities and well-rounded periods; the most definite point of which is that the President will "be unflinchingly guided by a sense of what the self-respect and dignity of the nation demand."

We are glad to hear it; and yet when this document is searched for any indication of what the self-respect and dignity of the nation demand, it will be recognized as a triumph of the art of saying nothing in an impressive manner.

Mrs. Logan.

The widow of John A. Logan shows herself to be worthy of him. We think that, considering the fact that her husband died a comparatively poor man, a pension should have been given to her. But there was such miserable hesitancy on the part of Congress to do so, that she promptly gave notice that she did not want any such a concession in her favor. Her friends gave her such a handsome sum of money and a few thousand came to her in the settlement of her husband's estate. This she considers sufficient. Sensible Mrs. Logan.

THE Legislature has appointed a committee to attend the celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the adoption of the Constiution of the United States, which will take place in Philadelphia next September. The Constitution was adopted on the 17th day of September, 1777, and was then submitted to a convention of delegates chosen in each State by the people under the recommendation of its legislature for assent and ratification.

AT the recent meeting of the State Board of Agriculture there was an almost unanimous expression of opinion that the present law paying bounties on owl and hawk scalps was unwise and a demand for the repeal of the law. A bill was accordingly prepared in the interests of the farmers and prrsented to the Legislature, doing away with the scalp bounty law. Yet the House has just seen proper to defeat it.

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A Well-Informed Man.

A well-dressed, portly old gentleman was reading the morning paper in a car on a New York elevated railroad. When he had finished reading the *Journal* he folded it and was about to place it in the inside pocket of his overcoat, when a young man seated by his side remarked:

"If you have finished reading your paper would you kindly allow me to glance over it?"

Certainly, but you will not find much else in it except social scandals.

"That's the very reason I wish to look at the paper. I take a deep interest in such matters."

"Well, sir, our tastes differ. For my part I am nauseated at the disgusting details of immorality and vice that are paraded before the public."

"I agree with you sir, they are horrible.,'

And yet I understood you to say a moment ago that you took a deep interest in scandals."

"And so I do, but only from a business point of view."

"I confess I don't quite grasp your meaning."

I'll explain myself; but first allow me to ask you if you are interested in the manufacture or sale of veils?"

'I am not."

Then I can tell you in confidence that I am paid a large salary by the Great American Veil Company to look over all the newspapers and study up the scandals, particularly clerical scandals."

"I am still in the dark."

"Listen. Whenever it appears from the circumstances of the case that there is to be a public trial of a pastor, our firm immediately ships to that town a large consignment of thick veils."

"I don't see the point yet."

"Whenever, for instance, a clergyman is tried, the court room is filled with ladies, who wear thick veils to prevent themselves being recognized, and to hide their blushes. The local supply is unequal to the demand. We get up a corner in veils, and realize handsome profits."

"Is it possible?"

"Why, my dear sir, when Parson Goddell was tried in Providene, Rhode Island, last month, we sold over a thousand veils. That man Downs has been a bonanza to us."

"Well, well; we'll live and learn."

"Just now I am watching a clerical scandal in New Jersey. The grand jury has indicted a prominent pastor and the trial is set for next Monday. To-day we will ship forty dozen impenetrable veils to that town."

"You must know a good deal about scandals."

"Yes, I read every day all the particulars of scandals from Maine to Texas. It disgusts me, but I do it. A salary of $3,000 isn't picked up every day.

Didn't Return His Pass.

Philadelphia Record's Harrisburg Letter.

Callaghan, the Westmoreland member, four days ago received a notice from the Pittsburg and Lake Erie road that the annual pass he was supposed to have would not be good after April 1, and requesting its return. The postage was not prepaid, and Callaghan was compelled to give the postmaster a penny before he could get the precious letter. The Westmoreland member sat down and wrote the general manager of the road the following characteristic letter:

HARRISBURG, March 29, 1887.—W. C. Quincy, General Manager—Dear Sir:—Yours of the 22d at hand. Contents duly noted. I did not intend at first to notice it, as I regarded my oath of office more precious than a railroad pass. You show a very generous spirit in giving passes to the members of the Legislature While I am writing this letter I see Peddrick, agent of the Pennsylvania railroad company, giving out passes to a page to distribute among members. They say seeing is believing. I see members take the passes from the page. I have received no passes, therefore your letter was unnecessary. In order to lift it from the postoffice I had to pay an additional cent. Why you have added injury to insult I know not. As you seem to be generous I sincerely trust that you will be just. Your letter has subjected me to loss of time and money, and, being discriminated against by railroads in general, I send you the following bill, which you will please pay as soon as convenient. I place it at a low estimate, indeed, when you take into consideration the amount of money I have paid for car fare. I fear very much, if the Legislature does not stop spending so much time riding all over the country on free passes, instead of attending to its duties, I will have to walk home to Scottdale. It is certainly a heartrending sight to see a poor devil like me go up to the ticket office and plank down the hard cash, and see an independent rich man ride free over all railroad lines. Why, in the name of the first tramp that ever counted a cross-tie, such things are so I am at a loss to know. If you object to the following bill notify me at once:

To lifting letter from postoffice	.01
Time lost in getting change, $10; in reading letter, $75	25 00
Time lost in writing letter, $125, time lost in soliloquizing how I could return a pass I never got, $13.34	138 34
Paper, envelope, use of pen and ink, 3 cents; postage stamp, 2 cents; time lost in posting, $75	75 05
Total	$248 40

Hoping to hear from you soon, I remain yours, EDWARD CALLAGHAN.

True eloquence consists in saying all that should be, not all that could be said.

The Bible is a window in this prison of hope through which we look into eternity.

Most young people think they are natural when they are only boorish and rude.

Perfect value is to do without witnesses, except those who are of our own opinion

Deference is the most complete, the most indirect, and the most elegant of all complaints.

Books are men of higher nature, and the only men who speak aloud for future times to hear.

Mankind worships success, but thinks too little of the means by which the same may be obtained.

Don't judge a man because of his failure in life, for many a man fails because he is too honest to succeed.

Talents are best matured in solitude; character is always best formed in the stormy billows of the world.

Don't judge a man by his speech, for the parrot often talks, and the tongue is but an instrument of sound.

Philosophy triumphs easy enough over past and future evils, but present evils easily triumph over philosophy.

Don't judge a man by the house he lives in, for the lizard and the rat often inhabit the very grandest structures.

A scientific writer tells how water can be boiled in a sheet of writing paper. We don't doubt. We have known a man to write a few lines on a sheet of writing paper that kept him in hot water for three years.

For goodness sake, don't let us have another war with Great Britain! It would be a pretty kettle of fish, wouldn't it, when we need all the money we can scrape together to pay pensions on account of previous squabbles.

"My father got run away with last night!" he shouted to a boy across the street.

"Did the hired girl or the horse run away with him?"

"The horse, of course."

"That's no sensation. Wait until you have something to brag of."

The Habit of Being Sick.

In a pamphlet recently published we find the following statements, which no fair-minded person will question: "Many chronic invalids are simply the victims of a chronic mode of thought; they have formed the habit of being sick, and they could if they would, or rather if they knew how, form the habit of being well. So many believe that they can not help being weak, nervous, ailing, and miserable, that they live year after year bound with the fetters which they have forged for themselves. Many a woman frets herself sick, and many a man has lost his life from an overtaxed mind, which has brought corresponding disease to the body.

"How often does it happen that a physician who has practiced a specialty for a number of years becomes at last a victim to the very disease which he had labored so long to overcome in others. It has been a picture before his mental vision which at last finds outward expression upon his body."

An Esteemed Contemporary's Gratitude.

The editor of the Indiana *Messenger* says: "We are not as dumb as we look" and the Blairsville *Enterprise* man heaves a sigh of relief and reverently mutters, "Thank heaven for that."

A Mysterious Mystery Explained.

Mr. Wrinks—"That's queer. A New Jersey bride went sleigh-riding and was nearly frozen to death."

Mrs. Wrinks—"Alone?"

"No, she was with her husband."

Medical.

The importance of purifying the blood cannot be overestimated, for without pure blood you cannot enjoy good health.

At this season nearly every one needs a good medicine to purify, vitalize, and enrich the blood, and we ask you to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. It strengthens and builds up the system, creates an appetite, and tones the digestion, while it eradicates disease. The peculiar combination, proportion, and preparation of the vegetable remedies used give to Hood's Sarsaparilla peculiar curative powers. No other medicine has such a record of wonderful cures. If you have made up your mind to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to take any other instead. It is a Peculiar Medicine, and is worthy your confidence.

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A Car-Driver's Fate.

"You fellah!" he exclaimed, as he followed a street-car down to Jefferson avenue and shook his fist at the driver

"What ails you?" was the gruff query.

"Behold me! See this collah—this shirt-bosom—these pawnts!"

"I see. You have been splashed with mud."

"And you did it, sah—you are the fellah! I was crossing the street back heah, and was about to meet a pwety gurl—a pwety gurl, sah, and she would have returned my bwow, sah—bwow, when you came along with your old canary-colored vehicle and dashed this mud over me—over me, sah!"

"And you didn't get to bow to the girl?"

"No, sah, of course not! How could I, sah, when I was made wediculous in her eyes? And it was you, sah—you are the fellah!"

"Well, what of it?"

"Nothing, sah—nothing, except that I shall nevah recognize you as a gentleman, sah—nevah, sah! I shall give you the cold cut—the direct cold cut, sah!"

If the food is not properly digested it becomes corrupt, and poisons the system it is intended to nourish. This is indigestion.

"My wife has suffered for many years with indigestion. After trying everything else recommended, she tried Simmons Liver Regulator. In three days after taking it according to directions she was in perfect health; She does not suffer at all and can eat anything she wants without any of her previous symptoms."

W. C. SUBERS, Bainbridge, Ga.

COURT PROCLAMATION.—Whereas, the Hon. A. O. Furst, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 49th judicial district, consisting of the Counties of Centre and Huntingdon and the Hon. Chester Munson and the Hon. J. R. Smith, Associate Judges in Centre county, having issued their precept, bearing date the 7th day of Feb., A. D. 1887, to me directed, for holding a court of Over and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the peace in Bellefonte, for the County of Centre, and to commence on the fourth Monday of April, being the 25th day of April, 1887, and to continue two weeks, notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of said County of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the fourth Monday, the 25th day of April, 1887, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertains to be done, and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

And notice is further given that a special session of said Court, for the trial of special causes, will be held, commencing Monday, March 21st of which all persons interested are hereby notified.

Given under my hand, at Bellefonte, the 10th day of March, in the year of our Lord, 1887, and in the one hundred and eleventh year of the independence of the United States.

W. MILES WALKER, Sheriff.

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Applications for License.

Notice is hereby given that the following named persons have filed their applications for license in the office of the Clerk of Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and for Centre county, and that application will be made in the next session of said court, beginning the fourth Monday of April next, to grant the same:

John Anderson,	Saloon—	Bellefonte borough
C G McMillen,	Tavern—	" "
W R Teller,	"	" "
Daniel Garman,	"	" "
Emanuel Brown,	"	" "
Peter Ashcroft,	"	Philipsburg borough.
James Passmore	"	" "
Jno A McCombie,	"	" "
S C Row,	"	" "
John Ramsdale,	"	" "
William Parker,	"	" "
John West,	"	" "
Thos. W. Whitton,	"	" "
D J Meyer,	"	Centre Hall borough.
J S Newson,	"	Howard "
W S Musser,	"	Millheim "
H G Shaffer,	"	" "
Alois Kohlbecker,	"	Boggs township.
D H Ruhl,	"	Gregg "
John H Bibby,	"	" "
Samuel Long,	Saloon,	" "
Thos. G Edmunds,	Tavern,	Haines township.
Joseph Kiechner,	Tavern,	Penn "
John Osenkirk,	"	Potter "
Mary C Nolan,	"	Snow Shoe "
John G Uzzie,	"	" "
Gotlieb Hagg,	"	Spring township
Henry Robb,	"	Walker "

L. A SCHAEFFER, Clerk.

Clerk's Office, Bellefonte, Pa., March 30, 1887. m24twte

DIRECTOR'S CONVENTION.

TO THE SCHOOL DIRECTORS OF CENTRE COUNTY:

GENTLEMEN:—In pursuance of the forty-third section of the Act of the 8th of May, 1854, you are hereby notified to meet in convention at the Court House, in Bellefonte, on the first Tuesday in May, A. D. 18 7, being the third day of the month, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and select, viva voce, by a majority of the whole number of directors present, one person of literary and scientific acquirements, and of skill and experience in the art of teaching, as County Superintendent for the three succeeding years; and certify the result to the State Superintendent at Harrisburg, as required by the thirty-ninth and fortieth sections of said act.

D. M. WOLF, Co. Supt. of Centre Co.

April 9, 1887. 19 15 3t

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—Estate of John Parson's, late of Altoona, dec'd. The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphan's Court of Blair county, to distribute the funds in the hands of Graham M. Meadville, Trustee to sell the real estate of John Parsons, late of Altoona, Pa., situated in Milesburg, Centre county, as shown by the final account of said trustee, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Hollidaysburg, Pa., on Thursday, 28th of April, 1887, at 10 o'clock, a. m., when and where all persons having claims will present them, or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

19 15 3t H. M. BALDRIDGE, Auditor.

PENSION CLAIMS. Increase Claims, Bounty Claims, Officer's Claims, all classes of War Claims, *New Laws, Rulings and Decisions.* I will meet all Soldiers who wish to present their claims, at Bellefonte, Pa., Wednesday and Thursday, April 20 and 21, at the Prothonotary's office.

NO CHARGE FOR CONSULTATION. If your claim is without merit, I will inform you at once and save you trouble and expense. I have made the prosecution of these claims a specialty at Washington, D. C., for over six years, and will give you valuable advice free.

14 9 2t—m 7 6 3t CHARLES E. FAIRMAN.

Bellefonte Republican.

By EDWARD T. TUTEN.

The State Senate.

HARRISBURG, April 6.—Among the bills reported from committee in the senate to-day was one to provide for the security of life and property from any danger arising from the storage of petroleum products to be used for street illumination. It provides that it shall be stored in air-tight casks, in a building of stone or brick and shall be at least below the surface of the ground.

Among bills passed finally were: Upperman's bill to provide for the collection of debts incurred for food, groceries, clothing and other necessities of life from the wages or compensation for labor or services of persons contracting the same; providing for the regulation and government of county jails and prisons; to authorize the amendment of sections or branches of railroads not in actual operation, and the completion and construction of the remaining portions or sections by the owners or purchasers thereof.

The bill introduced by Mr. Upperman providing for the gauging of liquid merchandise was read a second time. It compels county commissioners to appoint a county gauger for three years, thirty days after its being a law and describes his powers and rights.

The senate then went into consideration of second reading bills, and passed a great number of them.

IN THE HOUSE

In the house this morning the Cox bill, to relieve the laborers, workingmen and journeymen from prosecution and indictments for conspiracy, after an hour's debate passed second reading in the house this morning.

The bill was amended in the first section by striking out the words, "No agreement or combination by two or more persons to do or procure to be done any act in contemplation or furtherance of a trade dispute between employers or workmen shall be indictable as a conspiracy." This leaves the bill read: "That from and after the passage of this act no law of this commonwealth shall be construed so as to make it a conspiracy for any two or more persons to unite, combine to bind themselves by covenant, agreement, alliance or otherwise, to persuade, advise or encourage any person or persons to enter into any combination for or against leaving or entering into the service of any person, firm, company, lessee, receiver, corporation or association in this commonwealth."

An effort will be made by Mr. Chadwick to postpone the bill in order to allow its consideration by the Knights of Labor, who meet here to morrow. The Allegheny labor men, Messrs. Cox and Robertson, opposed postponement, and the bill passed as stated.

The senate supplement to the Philadelphia Bullitt bill passed finally.

The bill in relation to the imprisonment, government and redress of convicts in the Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon passed second reading.

The Philadelphia school bill, which took the power of appointment out of the hands of the judge, was defeated.

A bill to provide for the better supervision of the common schools, and which creates the office of district superintendent, who shall be under the county superintendent, passed second reading.

The bill introduced by Mr. Graham, to enable certain school districts to establish and maintain public high schools, was amended by terms to suit the wishes of the people of Pittsburg, and then passed second reading

The house then adjourned.

HARRISBURG, April 6.—In the house this afternoon a number of bills passed second reading among them the bill to fix license tax on wholesale liquor dealers.

The Mine Disaster.

CHICAGO, April 6.—A special from Vinita, Indian Territory, referring to the mine disaster at Savannah, briefly mentioned in last night's dispatches, says:

The body of gas fired must have been immense, and the torrent of flames forced from the mouth of the slope was over a hundred feet in height, and illuminated the whole country like an immense flash of lightning. It was followed with such a concussion as to startle everyone for miles around, and people in the immediate vicinity were severely shocked. The engine house and lifting works, a structure over a hundred feet long and two stories high, was blown into splinters by the current driven out of the slope, and in a few minutes was enveloped in flames. From the character of the building, and being literally saturated with oil, it was not possible to save anything.

There were six men in the mine at the moment of the explosion, which occurred at ten minutes past 1 o'clock in the afternoon. Their names are as follows: Miles Jarrett, Dave Jones, Hugh Dooley, William Barnes, Charley Parsons, Bert French.

The most distressing part of the accident is the suffocation of thirteen more, who were attempting, with others, to reach the fated men through the entries in No. 1. Following are their names: James Ward, James McGinnis, Fred Bartz, Thomas Navin, Mike Kelly, Thos. Daniels, George Hill, Patrick Glancy, Robert Miller, Pat Fagan, Jno. Williams, Peter Renald, Wm. Hudson.

The workings of the two mines run together far down in the mines, but these means of communication have never been attended to or kept open in order, although they furnish the only means of escape from one mine to another and now when they are needed it is impossible to get sufficient air through these old, disused entries to enable the men to prosecute the work.

Out of the first party attempting to reach shaft No. 2, five men were lost and their bodies are still in the mines. A second party of 12 or 15 went down, and at this writing 8 of these are reported lost in the mine, overcome with the after dam and undoubtedly dead. This makes thirteen lives, in addition to those killed by the explosion sacrificed to inattention and neglect in securing proper ventilation and getting rid of the gases which form in large quantities in the mine. There is no telling what may be the further loss of life in the attempt to rescue the bodies of those now in the mine. A cutting is now being driven through into one of the upper lifts, or entries. When done, it is hoped they will be able to at least rescue the bodies of the unfortunate men. The fans have been started in No. 2 by attaching the boiler of the switching locomotive to the steam pipes. Everything possible is being done to enable the men to reach the bottom of the slope.

Rhode Island Democratic.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 6.—Davis democrat, has a plurality for governor of probably 1,500, together with the rest of the democratic state ticket, except attorney general, which is still in doubt. The vote in this city is not yet counted and the definite result will not be known until very late. As far as can be ascertained at this hour—12.30 a. m.—the house stands 27 republican and 20 democrat, and the senate 18 republican and 10 democrat, with four cities or towns unheard from.

PROVIDENCE, April 6.—The city of Providence returns are not yet in, and the election hangs in the balance. Wetmore heads Davis slightly but this city has gone strong for the democratic candidate and will probably give him a majority. It is not now thought that the entire democratic ticket has been successful, although that was the result first anticipated. The prohibition vote is a fizzle, and the woman suffrage vote made a poor show.

1 40 A. M.—The vote on attorney general is practically the same as on governor as far as returns are at hand. The woman suffrage amendment was defeated very badly. Davis' majority in the state will probably reach 1,500 and it is likely to be sustained on the whole democratic ticket.

Knights of Labor

HARRISBURG, April 7.—Two hundred Knights of Labor, representing every district in Pennsylvania, met here this afternoon to consider the various bills relating to labor now before the legislature. The session this afternoon was secret and was strictly devoted to organization. General Master Workman Powderly presided, and calling the convention to order made an address in which he counseled wisdom and great care in the deliberations, and spoke of the rapid growth of the order. He expressed himself as well pleased with the result of the Chicago election. Ralph Beaumont, of Washington, and Secretary Litchman also addressed the convention.

It is understood that the legislators who have introduced labor bills will be requested to explain them to the convention, and this body will draft a memorial to the legislators, embodying its views, and present it on Monday.

Previous to adjourning, the convention appointed committees on the following subject: Bituminous mines and mining, anthracite mines and mining, agriculture and lumber, oil and oil production, iron industries, slate mining and quarrying, miscellaneous subjects.

The public meeting in the house of representatives to-night was very largely attended. Powderly presided and made a speech in which he asserted that labor had a right to be represented here by men to look after its interests in the legislature. He refered to the monopolistic corporations being represented in legislative halls and said it was time the laboring men of Pennsylvania emulated the example of their brethren in New Jersey and insist upon the examination of all labor bills before they were passed.

They Will All Ask for the Same.

PHILADELPHIA, April 7.—The general opinion among railroad officials in this city is that the action of the inter-state commerce commission in the long and short haul question concerning the southern railroads will crush the entire measure. They argue that this is the most vital feature of the entire act, and that the stand taken by the commission, even though it be of a temporary nature, is the entering wedge that will split the whole log.

"There is not a railroad of any consequence in the entire country," said one prominent railroad executive officer, to-day, "that will not make the same claim as contended for by the southern lines, and the justice of their claim can not fail to be recognized. Here in almost the first act of the commission, they array against them every railroad that has directly or remotely a water route as a competitor, and further than this, they have taken such a position as will unsettle commercial affairs of the country for three months or more."

The Figures on Rhode Island.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 6.—The last of the returns was not in until after daylight this morning. The results of the contest may be summarized as follows: John W. Davis democrat, is elected governor by 973 majority. There is no election for lieutenant governor or secretary of state; Ziba O Slocum, democrat, is elected attorney general by 2,519 majority, and J. G. Perry, democrat, general treasurer by 2,609 majority. The vote for lieutenant governor is as follows: Honey, democrat, 17,285; Darling, republican, 15,915; Kimber, prohibition, 1,858

The majority against the women suffrage amendment is 15,123. In this city the entire democratic assembly ticket is elected. The senate stands: Republican 19, democrats 12, and there was no election in five cases. The house will comprise 27 republicans and 33 democrats, with 12 districts yet to be heard from. The present legislature is republican by twenty three majority in the senate and fifty-six in the house.

The Prohibition Amendment Defeated.

DETROIT, April 5—Specials to the Evening Journal indicate that the prohibition amendent is surely defeated by about 5,000. Gogebic county, in the upper peninsula, which has not been included in the Journal's earlier estimates, gives two thousand majority against the amendment. The latest returns from the southern part of the state favor prohibition, but the adverse vote in the upper peninsula more than overcomes this.

Not Much.

HARRISBURG, April 8.—About the only item of business in the House to-day of general importance was that of the wholesale liquor tax bill which failed of a constitutional majority on third reading—yeas 97, nays 42, and so fell.

The bill appropriating $375,000 for a new library building was amended by making the amount $450,000, and laid over for printing.

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WALTER W. BAYARD.

Railroads.

BALD EAGLE VALLEY RAILROAD.—Time Table, January 31, 1887

WESTWARD	Exp A.M	Mail P.M.
Leave Lock Haven	9 00	3 4
Flemington	9 05	3 45
Mill Hall	9 09	3 48
Beech Creek	9 25	4 03
Eagleville f	9 30	4 08
Howard	9 44	4 22
Mount Eagle f	9 54	4 32
Curtin	10 01	4 38
Milesburg	10 12	4 48
Bellefonte	10 35	5 00
Milesburg	10 44	5 10
Snow Shoe Int.	10 48	5 14
Unionville	10 58	5 24
Julian	11 09	5 35
Martha	11 19	5 47
Port Matilda	11 27	5 56
Hannah f	11 36	6 05
Fowler f	11 39	6 08
Dix f	11 42	6 11
Bald Eagle	11 48	6 19
Vail	11 53	6 24
Arrive at Tyrone	12 05	6 37
EASTWARD	P.M.	A
Leave Tyrone	7 15	8 10
East Tyrone	7 22	8 17
Vail	7 28	8 20
Bald Eagle	7 34	8 25
Dix f	7 41	8 30
Fowler f	7 46	8 32
Hannah f	7 50	8 36
Port Matilda	8 00	8 48
Martha	8 10	8 51
Julian	8 22	8 59
Unionville	8 2-	9 10
Snow Shoe Int.	8 3-	9 13
Milesburg	8 39	9 22
Bellefonte	8 49	9 32
Milesburg	9 01	9 47
Curtin	9 11	10 01
Mount Eagle f	9 17	10 18
Howard	9 27	10 16
Eagleville f	9 40	10 30
Beech Creek	9 45	10 35
Mill Hall	10 01	10 50
Flemington f	10 05	10 54
Arrive at Lock Haven	10 10	11 00

BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE R. R.—Time Table in effect on and after Jan. 31, 1887

Leaves Snow Shoe at 6:45 a m; arrives at Bellefonte at 8:25 a m.

Leaves Bellefonte 9.00 a m., arrives at Snow Shoe 11.00 a m

Leaves Snow Shoe 3.15 p m., arrives at Bellefonte 5.29 p m

Leaves Bellefonte at 8:05 p m; arrives at Snow Shoe at 10:00 p m.

S S BLAIR, General Sup't

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE R. R.—BELLEFONTE, NITTANY AND LEMONT R. R. To take effect Jan. 31, 1887.

Dis.	Westward a.m.	p.m.		Eastward a.m.	p.m.
0	5.50	1.30	MONTANDON	6 30	9.10
1.5	6.00	1 40	Ar. LEWISBURG Lv	6 20	9.00
1 5	6.05	1 40	Lv. LEWISBURG Ar		9.00
5.4	6.15	1.48	Biehl f		8 51
6.8	6.22	1.56	Vicksburg f		8 45
10.7	6.33	2 09	MIFFLINBURG		8.33
13.1	6.40	2.16	Barber f		8.26
15	6.46	2 2	Swengle f		8.20
16.1	6.48	2 27	Millmont		8.18
18.6	7.00	2.37	LAURELTON		8.12
23.5	7.08	2.53	Pardee f		7.58
24.7	7.12	3.01	Weiker f		7.54
28.9	7.47	3.07	Cherry Run f		7.48
32.2	7 35	3.17	Paddy Mt. Tunnel f		7.38
33 9	7.41	3.29	Fowler f		7.32
36.6	7.49	3.30	Coburn		7.25
39 6	7.56	3.40	Zerby f		7 18
43.4	8.10	3 59	Rising Springs		7.06
48.2	8 19	4 00	Penn's Cave f		6.58
49.2	8.27	4 07	CENTRE HALL		6 50
51.6	8.34	4.12	Gregg f		6.43
54.6	8 45	4.23	Linden Hall		6.36
56.7	8 52	4.27	OAK HALL		6.30
58.3	8.56	4.30	LEMONT		6 25
60.2	9.03	4.36	Dale Summit f		6.20
63.9	9 14	4.45	Pleasant Gap f		6.09
63.2	9.19	4.51	Axeman f		6.04
67.4	9.25	4.55	BELLEFONTE		6.00

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EASTWARD. No. 4.	No 2.	Dis.	STATIONS.	Dis.	WESTWARD. No. 1.	No 3
P. M.	A. M				A. M	P. M
7 00	9 00	18.	Ar. Bellef'te, Lv	0	6 10	4 40
6 50	8 50	14.7	Hastings, F	3.2	6 20	4 5
6 42	8 42	12 8	Hunters	5.5	6.25	4.55
6 39	8 39	11.2	Fillmore	6.8	6 31	5 01
6 35	8 35	10.	Seller, F	8.	6 3	5 05
6 30	8 30	8.	Waddles	10.	6 40	5 10
6 10	8 10	3.2	Thompson, F.	14.8	7 00	5 30
6 06	8 06	2	Krumrine	16.	7 04	5 34
6 00	8 00	0	State College,	18.	7 10	5 40

Trains will stop at stations marked F when signal is given or notice to Conductor.

Train 2 will connect with trains East and West on B. E. V. R. R.

Train 3 will connect with train West on B. E. R. R.

Train 4 will connect with train East on B. E. V. R. R., and with train West on Snow Shoe Branch.

THOMAS A. SHOEMAKER, Sup't.

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD Time Table, Jan. 31, 1887.

WESTWARD	Mixed. P.M.	Mixed. A.M
Leave Scotia	12 15	6 50
Fairbrook	12 40	8 20
Penn's Furnace	1 08	5 40
Hostler f	1 15	5 50
Marengo f	1 25	5 57
Loveville f	1 50	6 00
Furnace Road f	1 55	6 10
Dungarvin	1.39	6.13
Warriors Mark	1 55	6.25
Pennington	2 12	6 40
Weston Mill f	2 28	6 56
L. and T. Junc	2 31	6 55
Tyrone	2 35	6 58
EASTWARD.	Mixed. P.M.	Mixed. A M
Leave Tyrone	4 30	9 20
L. & T. Junc	4.34	9 25
Weston Mill f	4 40	9 30
Pennington	4 55	9 45
Warriors Mark	5 05	9 58
Dungarvin	5.17	10.09
Furnace Road f	5 20	10 12
Loveville f	5 26	10 16
Marengo f	5 30	10 22
Hostler f	5 40	10 38
Penn'a Furnace	5 50	10 44
Fairbrook	6 05	11 03
Scotia	5 25	11 30

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD—Philadelphia and Erie Division.)—On and after Jan. 31, 1887:

	WESTWARD.	
ERIE MAIL leaves	Philadelphia	11 25 p m
" "	Harrisburg	3 30 a m
" "	Williamsport	7 10 a m
" "	Jersey Shore	7 35 a m
" "	Lock Haven	7 58 a m
" "	Renovo	8 50 a m
" arr at	Erie	4 00 p m
NIAGARA EXP. leaves	Philadelphia	7 40 a m
" "	Harrisburg	11 25 a m
" arr at	Williamsport	2 18 p m
" "	Lock Haven	3 30 p m
" "	Renovo	4 30 p m
" "	Kane	8 35 p m
Passengers by this train arrive in Bellefonte at		5 00 p m
FAST LINE leaves	Philadelphia	11 50 a m
" "	Harrisburg	3 45 p m
" "	Williamsport	7 10 p m
" arr at	Lock Haven	8 05 p m
" "	Renovo	9 00 p m
SUNDAY MAIL leaves	Phil'a	4 30 p m
" "	Harrisburg	7 40 a m
" "	W'm'sport	10 55 a m
" "	Lock Haven	11 35 a m
" arr at	Renovo	12 30 p m
	EASTWARD.	
Sea Shore EXPRESS leaves	L. Haven	7 05 a m
" "	Jer'y S're	7 35 a m
" "	W'msp't	8 15 a m
" arr at	Harrisb'g	11 35 a m
" "	Phila'phia	3 15 p m
DAY EXP leaves	Kane	6 25 a m
" "	Renovo	10 20 a m
" "	Lock Haven	11 15 a m
"	Williamsport	12 20 p m
" arr at	Harrisburg	3 13 p m
" "	Philadelphia	6 50 a m
ERIE MAIL leaves	Erie	2 45 p m
" "	Renovo	11 00 p m
" "	Lock Haven	11 58 p m
" "	Williamsport	1 25 a m
" arr at	Harrisburg	4 20 a m
" "	Philadelphia	8 25 a m
RENOVO ACN leaves	Renovo daily	4 05 p m
" arrives at	Harrisb'g	9 30 p m
" "	Philadelphia	4 25 a m

Erie Mail West, Niagara Express West, and Day Express East make close connection at Lock Haven with B. E. V. R. R. trains.

Erie Mail East and West connect at Erie with trains on L. S. & M. S. R. R.; at Corry with B. P. & W. R. R. at Emporium with B., N. Y. & P. R. R. and at Driftwood with A. V. R. R.

ROBERT NEILSON, Gen'l Supt.

Briefs.

RAHWAY, N. J., April 7.—Otto Hisler, of New York, visited the morgue to-day. He says he came to this country on the steamer Westerland, which arrived here on January 14. Among the passengers on the steamer was Mina Noorse, a young German girl, and her lover, Max Kinder. She had two drafts aggregating $2,000. Heisler thought the dead girl was Miss Noorse, but could not identify her clothing. Noorse is the name worked on the edge of the handkerchief found in the valise picked up in the river near the scene of the murder.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The funeral of Catharine Lorillard Wolfe took place to-day from Grace church. In accordance with the wish of the deceased, the arrangements were of the simplest kind. The casket was carried by the assistant rectors of Grace church parish, Rev. James B. Washor, Rev. D. H. Schwab, Rev. George Nelson, Rev. H. St. George Young. Following came the relatives of the deceased. Bishop Potter officiated. The church was crowded with friends.

CHICAGO, April 7.—The striking carpenters met at noon and by an unanimous vote rejected the proposition made by the bosses and reaffirmed the demand for thirty-five cents an hour pay and full recognition of the Carpenter's Council as a body of organized labor. The proposition of the employers was to concede eight hours and make thirty cents an hour the minimum pay with grades above, and not to recognize anything but the individual rights of the men.

WORCESTER, Mass., April 7.—A dispatch from West Brooklyn says: The block belonging to C. H. Blair was entirely destroyed by fire at 4 o'clock this morning. The loss will probably amount to nearly $50,000, insured. The block was occupied by E. H. Blair & Co. as a general country store; George H. Coolidge, millinery; G. A. Bealey jeweler, and C. H. Clark, druggist. The fire was the work of an incendiary.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 7.—William and Joseph Walford, two brothers, had an altercation at their home, fourteen miles south of here, this morning over a horse. William drew a revolver and shot Joseph, breaking his arm. He then went to his room and shot himself through the heart.

PITTSBURGH, April 7.—While shooting at a target in Allegheny City, this afternoon, Florence Park, aged 15, accidentally shot and killed Albert Freizle, 9 years old, a playmate. Young Park was arrested and locked up, pending an investigation by the coroner.

FORT MONROE, Va., April 7.—The Hygeia hotel was sold to-day for $352,500. It was bought by Mrs. Phoebus, widow of the former proprietor, who made the resort famous.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—The president this afternoon announced the appointment of Benton J. Hall, of Iowa, to be commissioner of patents, vice Montgomery, resigned.

New War Vessels.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—The secretary of the navy to-day invited sealed proposals from the ship builders of the United States for building five new war vessels.

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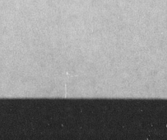

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—Some touches of gentle Spring rejoice the heart.

—Garden making is having a temporary boom.

—Two warm for fire and not warm enough to do without.

—The first practice game of base ball was indulged in on Friday.

—The young ladies are surmounting their bangs with straw hats.

—The trees will be planted in Bellefonte park on Arbor day, April 22.

—The Methodists netted $25 50 by their festival on Thursday evening.

—Milliheimers are sighing for a laundryman and an experienced photographer.

—Wish we were a bank, don't you? Then we would have a holiday on Good Friday.

—This is pay day at the Nail Works and about $8,000 in cool cash is being paid out.

—Beware how you dispose of your underclothes too soon. Stick to them as to a friend.

—We regret to hear of the serious illness of Mr. Henry Keller, brother of Col. D. S. Keller.

—Henry Royer, of Rebersburg, who is 91 years old, attends church regularly every Sunday.

—Mrs. R. A. Emmons is to hold a series of temperance meetings in Mill Hall, beginning on the 20th.

—A substantial new floor is being laid in the building in which the REPUBLICAN and the DAILY NEWS are published.

—Mr. Cal. Brachbill has sold nearly all of his large stock of furniture and expects to close up business in a few days.

—The poet who wrote "man wants but little here below" lived many years ago. Man, in these days, wants all he can get.

—A child of Adolphus Frank, of Milesburg, died of whooping cough on Thursday afternoon. The little one was 1 year and 3 months old.

—James P. McCabe, the Wayne county murderer, who was to have been hanged on the 21st of this month, was respited on Thursday by Governor Beaver until May 26.

—A team of horses belonging to a man named Crotzer ran away on Allegheny street on Wednesday afternoon. One man was thrown from the buggy, but was not injured.

—The Philipsburg *Journal* comes to us each week brimful of news. It should receive an excellent support from all who are interested in Philipsburg and her surroundings.

—If the Honorable Francis Speer carried out his original announced intentions yesterday he took a ride over the Buffalo Run railroad. The road will now boom right along.

—After 17 years continuous service as superintendent of the Lutheran Sunday-school in Centre Hall, Michael Derstine has retired from that position, to be succeeded by D. F. Luse.

—From the Lewistown *Free Press*: Wm McGirk, of Centre county, has rented the farm owned by the Ritz Burns heirs, at the Junction, and has already taken possession of the same.

—Mrs. Dr. Neff, of Centre Hall, is reported to be seriously ill. She has been a great sufferer for some time past, but became much worse on Sunday, the 3d. It is not believed that she can survive.

—McVeytown *Journal*: "A bill has been introduced in the Pennsylvania Legislature which provides that the Chief Burgess in towns shall be invested with the same power as a Justice of the Peace."

—Joe Markle, of Centre Hall, and Henry Stover, of Tusseyville, are suffering with crushed feet. The former had his foot crushed beneath a wagon wheel and the latter's foot was stepped on by a colt.

—William Embig, oldest son of Aaron Embig, was terribly injured at J. K. Miller & Son's mill in Sugar Valley, a few days ago. His right arm was cut off and his head seriously hurt. His condition is precarious.

—The Odd Fellows Lodge indulged in another feast Thursday night, served by Charlie Jacobs. So far as feasting is concerned, the Odd Fellows certainly take the oysters, and cake, and ice cream, chicken, turkey, etcetera.

—It is announced that J. L. Spangler, Esq., of this place, will deliver the address in Lewistown on Memorial Day, May 30. The announcement adds: "As Mr. S. is a finished orator, the public can expect something more than ordinary."

—The Centre County *Times* must have some exclusive information when it announces: "The prohibition amendment was lost in Michigan, on Tuesday, by about 35,000." That's about seven times larger than the actual majority against the amendment.

—A stove upset in the dining room of Mr A. V Miller's residence at Pleasant Gap on Friday, scattering the fire and creating excitement throughout the house. The carpet and some of the furniture was damaged. The property damaged was insured.

THIRTEEN IN A ROW.

A CITIZEN OF LOCK HAVEN WHO HAD ENLARGED IDEAS OF THE EFFICACY OF ONLY ONE RAILROAD PASS.

Apropos of the discontinuance of the railroad pass system, the following, which comes to us from Lock Haven and relates to a laughable misapprehension in the mind of a citizen of that city regarding the utility of only one pass, is extremely pertinent.

The gentleman in question imagined that he had some claim on the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and decided to get the benefit of it while the law of the land would permit him to do so After much importuning the officials of the railroad company, he received a pass to Philadelphia and return. Rejoicing in his good fortune, he laid his plans to make a visit East, in company with his wife and family.

Preparations made, he started with his wife and numerous progeny. They were thirteen all told, and, passenger traffic being light, he seated them in a row on one side of the car, each occupying a separate seat, that they might the more easily contemplate the landscape and he told off when the conductor would come around. It goes without saying that no tickets were provided.

Visions of metropolitan sights for eyes used only to scenes of a small city were, no doubt, careering through their minds, when the bustling, revery-disturbing conductor abruptly made his appearance and demanded, "tickets!"

The pass was triumphantly produced which having been examined by the conductor, was pronounced good for one passenger only. This decision of the inexorable conductor "knocked them all silly," to use the phraseology of this giddy world.

After multiplied remonstrances and assertions that the pass was good for the household, the available "cash on hand" was computed and the decision reached, that, since the fare must be paid, the whole family would be compelled to return on the next train to their humble home in Lock Haven.

This they did, sadder but wiser for their short peregrination, inveighing against ungrateful corporations, lack of discretion in conductors, and asserting that it wasn't very lucky anyhow to travel thirteen in a party.

Death of Levi Reynolds.

The Philipsburg *Ledger* thus refers to the death of a citizen of Rush township, this county:

Levi Reynolds, an old resident of this place, who came here in 1851, died at his home in Rush township, near this borough, on last Monday morning, of dropsy. Mr. Reynolds was born at Bangor, Maine and was aged about 64 years. When he came here 35 years since, Philipsburg was but a little hamlet, lying in the heart of the Alleghenies, surrounded by dense forests of pine and hemlock, from the outside world. He was a lumberman and worked on the Moshannon, making timber and driving logs for J. B. Wing, who lumbered in this region at an early dwy. There is, in all likelihood, scarcely a foot of ground along the Moshannon and its tributaries that Levi Reynolds has not traversed, and he has rafted and driven logs, waded and swum up and down the Moshannon and the Susquehanna from Trout Run to Harvre de Grace. He belonged to a class of men who are fast disappearing from this country,—hardy, active, rugged men who came here with Wing Wilder, Blanchards, and the Ardells, from along and beyond the Canadian border, and swung the axe, the cross-cut, the cant hook and broad axe, while before their wholesale onslaughts, the forests melted away like wax. With the disappearance of the forests, the destroyers also disappeared except a few who settled among us, and they are slowly dying out until now they can be numbered on one's fingers. But the millions of blackened and decayed stumps which disfigure the Alleghenies remain as evidences of the industry of the bold "lingers" from the Penobscot and Kennebec."

—Some people who have moved act remarkably queer at this time of year. For instance, in a fit of abstraction or absent mindedness, a man is liable to wander into his former home instead of into the house he now occupies. He feels so comfortable when he becomes aware that he has made a mistake. He would like, if possible, to crawl out, unnoticed, but that cannot be done, so he is compelled to explain that he has made a mistake. This sometimes occurs more than once and the oftener it is repeated the more pleasant is the feeling it produces.

—The Philipsburg *Ledger* is now three years old. That is, it has reached its fourth birthday. This reminds us that time flies, which fact we regret about as much as we dislike Summer flies. It seems but yesterday that we received the first issue of that paper. On its fourth birthday the *Ledger* donned a new headdress and we understand that other improvements are in prospect for it. It deserves and receives success.

—The legislature has appropriated $15,000 for the completion of the unfinished wing of the Normal School at Lock Haven. Fifteen thousand dollars is a large price for a wing, and we trust that when the wing is completed the Normal will be able to fly.

Church Decoration.

THE IMPORTANT IMPROVEMENTS MADE TO THE INTERIOR OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

We imagine that all who entered the Protestant Episcopal church last Sunday were surprised and delighted with the important improvements that had taken place and which were completed that week. The principal addition to the furniture is the new altar, which is of butternut wood and is highly ornamental and beautiful. Butternut wood is susceptible of much higher polish than oak. It was put in by J. & R. Lamb, N. Y., and is rich and handsome in the extreme and should receive the very minutest inspection. Along the upper part of the altar and over the ornamental and scroll work is the sentence: "This do in remembrance of me." Beneath this, on the face of the altar in the centre, is the *Agnes Dei*; at the left side is the figure of a sheaf of wheat and scroll—"I am the bread of life." At the right is the figure of a bunch of grapes and vine, with the inscription, "I am the true vine." Inscribed below the sentence: "In honor of Margery Gregg Reynolds and her five children."

The ornamental work to the space inside the chancel and altar was by E. J. N. Stent & Co., of New York City, who are decorators and architects of note, having executed work in this line in all parts of the United States. The decoration is known as the New Rennaisance style. The dado is red and the upper part is a diaper of gilt in gold, the prevailing figures being representative of stars. The effect of this work is to make the space seem much larger and is rich and magnificent. A dossal, in red plush, covers the space between the lower part of the Hale memorial window and the altar.

The ultra marine blue in which the ceiling was ornamented has been preserved in its beauty, but the side walls have been made to correspond in appearance, the upper part being painted in cedar color and the lower part in olive. The organ has been newly decorated and Mr. J. J. Lejeal, who visited Bellefonte, put the organ in excellent tune for Sunday. The effect of these improvements can hardly be estimated without seeing them. As is proper, the improvements in the chancel and about the altar make that the most conspicuous and beautiful part of the church.

All the painting in the body of the church was done by Bellefonte workmen among whom we noticed Mr. Jerry Fasig and his son, George.

Death and Funeral of Sarah Beerly.

The death knell has again sounded and Sarah Beerly has fallen. She lived with her son in Boggs township, about a mile North of Milesburg, and suffered more or less from a deranged liver for several years, which finally affected her stomach and kidneys. For five months she suffered intensely under this complicated sickness, and amid it all she rejoiced in salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ. She prayed often to be released from her bodily distress, and at times would exult aloud through faith in Christ. She died on the 30th of Mar. A. D. 1887, having finished a career of 72 years, 9 months and 4 days.

She was a native of Clinton county, known by her maiden name of Sarah Karstetter, and married Peter Beerly in 1836; and to them were subsequently born 6 sons and 2 daughters, the latter with three of the former, surviving her death. They evinced an unusual fondness for both vocal and instrumental music and some the members of this family are to-day well known to many of our citizens as proficient musicians.

The funeral of Mother B. took place on the 1st of April from the residence of her son, Nathaniel, to Messiah's Church Cemetery, conducted by Rev. J. Zeigler, where her remains were deposited in the presence of those who graced the occasion by their presence, thus showing respect for the deceased, and sympathy with the bereaved.

Nathaniel Beerly, for himself and the other surviving members of the family, hereby express his unequivocal thanks to the neighbors who so kindly befriended them in their affliction. Z.

—Mr. H. T. Bartley calls our attention to a fact which we had not noticed before, viz., that had his bid, $588, for the erection of the Undine hose house building been accepted by council, instead of Mr. Bradley's, the entire cost would have been twenty dollars less than the bid accepted. In speaking to a member of council on the subject he states that he did not understand that Mr. Bartley's bid for the building could be accepted without also accepting bid for the foundation.

—The new editor of the *Centre Democrat* seems to be very much provoked by our local badinage in reference to that paper. Ah, well, we'll be easy on him for a few weeks and trust that by the time he has spent a few years in the editorial traces his eye-teeth will be cut and that he will be able to preserve his mental equanimity.

—Perhaps if such days as Good Friday, Washington's Birthday, New Years, etc., could be more generally observed in the business world the people would be the better for it and the rest and recreation thus afforded would enable people to do as much if not more work during the other days.

Centre County's Educators.

PROF. A. A. PLETCHER.

The subject of this brief sketch is the eldest son of the late D. B. Pletcher, Esq., of Howard township. Arriving at manhood, he permanently located at Nittany Hall, this county, where he now resides. From his youth he was remarkable for his strict moral, temperate and studious habits, as well as sterling integrity, and Centre county has few young men to excell him in those traits of character or as an imparter of knowledge to the youthful minds.

Mr. Pletcher commenced teaching public school when he was but sixteen years of age in 1874, at Gatesburg, Ferguson township, and performed his duties so satisfactorily that he received a vote of thanks from the official board.

As a teacher he is firm but mild and kindly towards his pupils. In the school room he makes correct spelling and definitions of the words spelled a specialty, which he contends advances the scholars faster in knowledge than less thoroughness in that branch of teaching would. In teaching he practices Wickersham's theory as far as applicable. He is the holder of a Professional certificate and has applied for a permanent one. He is a strong advocate of a six months term, claiming that the sixth month would be much more beneficial to both scholars and tax payers than any other month of the five.

That Prof. Pletcher is a good instructor is evident from the fact that his services are usually in demand, and that on several occasions he has received additional compensation to that agreed upon.

Mr. Pletcher's field of labor has been one term in Ferguson Twp., one in Curtin township, four terms in Potter township and eight terms in Walker township, this county, closing his last term April 7, 1887.

Mr. Pletcher received his education in our common schools and at the county normal, under the professorship of R. A. Magee.

Educationalists are cordially invited to contribute to the columns of THE FOUNTAIN anything of interest pertaining to their profession and the intellectual welfare of the community.

—It would be well for all business and manufacturing institutions to have just as small amount of work done on Sunday as is possible. We are inclined to believe that considerable work is done in Bellefonte on Sunday, because we see numerous workingmen going along the streets carrying dinner buckets and dressed in everyday clothes. We are quite sure that the future happiness of the workingman and perhaps the prosperity of our country depends on the continuance of the Christian Sabbath in all its sacredness. Medical men and other competent authorities agree that men can do as much work in six days by resting on the seventh as they can by working seven days without rest.

Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office at Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa., April 4, 1887:

James Calaman, Miss Annie Derry, Aphy Derr, Frank Fitzpatrick, Orlando Fredrick, Miss Sallie Gibbony, Wm. E. Haynes, Rev. E. J. Howenstein, S. F. Jones, Frank Jones, Wm. J. Irvin, Carrie W. Kerley, John Nolen-2, Miss Kate Noll, George Publesinger, Susie S. Reese, Jesse Shaffer, J. S. Waters, Henry Zeigler.

Persons inquiring for letters named in the above list will please say advertised.

JAMES H. DORRIS, P. M.

—The funeral services over the remains of the late Theodore Gordon occurred on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of deceased on Bishop street. The attendence was remarkably large, including Bellefonte's most prominent people. The casket in which the body reposed was a very handsome one. Rev. Wm. Laurie, D. D., officiated, delivering a solemn and affecting address. He was assisted by Rev. Chas. Steck. The pall-bearers were J. L. Spangler, and W. F. Reeder, Esqs., Capt. Amos Mullen, Dr. J. D. Geissinger, John. F. Potter and William Ludwig.

—We learned an important fact Friday morning, viz., that on the 14th of June, how many years ago, we cannot particularly state, but in the same year, two persons arrived in this world—one in Centre county and the other in Asiatic Turkey. The Centre county arrival was W. E. Gray, Esq., and the one on the opposite side of the world was Mr. Pusant F. Nshikian, who is now visiting in Bellefonte. Their arrival on exactly the same time at opposite parts of the globe was extremely fortunate, else the harmony of the universe might have been disturbed.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Tobias, of Millheim, is deservingly singled out by the *Journal* for especial mention She is the widow of Rev. Daniel Tobias. Her age is 85 years. She walks a mile without difficulty, performs her household duties and is noted for her industry. She is the mother of eleven children. Her mind is bright and clear and the debilities of old age are unknown to her.

—A correspondent of the Millheim *Journal* writes: "Mr. Crosthwaite, a saddler from Bellefonte, is at present engaged in making a new set of harness for Calvin Stover. He is a splendid mechanic and his work speaks for itself."

Bellefonte's Park.

A PLACE OF RARE BEAUTY AND CONVENIENCE TO BE FITTED UP THIS SUMMER.

There is not a town in this country that has a more charming location for a park than is possessed by Bellefonte. It is the space between the Court House and the Jail, bordered by North and West High streets. Pretty residences on two sides of the enclosure, with eternal Justice on the west and threatening Retribution just east of it, there is every thing to keep those who resort to the park not only in a happy frame of mind but also deter them from any evil.

We feel like thanking the county commissioners for their magnificent action in appropriating $2,000 to beautify this delightful resort, and the work upon it will be done this summer. There is not a more level-headed, conservative and at the same time magnanimous trio of gentlemen in existence than J. C. Henderson, J. E. Griest and John Wolf. This action of theirs will conduce as much to the attractiveness of our town as any other that any one could possibly confer upon it. All the arrangements have not been completed, but a contract has been given for putting out the necessary number of fine maple trees which will be procured from Mr. Fisher at Unionville, one of the best nurserymen in the country.

Other improvements will be artistic terraces, a fine fountain throwing up its gentle spray, a pool in which swans will float, easy seats, swings for the young people, etc. Its central location is greatly in its favor, as it is easily accessible from all parts of the town.

The First Car Load of Glass.

The first car load of glass sent away from the new factory at this place was started Friday morning and is now on its way to the Pullman Palace Car Company, of Pullman, Ill. When we remember that it was only a short time ago that the old factory was destroyed and that very large and complete buildings have since be erected on the site, the fact that glass has already been manufactured and sold constitutes the departure of the car load Friday morning an event of considerable note.

—A lodge of the Knights of Pythias has been instituted in Snow Shoe. The officers are: P. C., James Whitaker; C. C., William O. Davis; V. C. D., George Davis; Pre., Joseph Clark; M. of E., John G. Uzzle; M. of F., John Gunsallus; K. of R. and S., John Beveridge; M. of A., Arthur Smith; I. G., George Casher; O. G., William Davis; Representative to Grand Lodge, William Williamson; Trustees, Joseph Clark, Thomas Stark and Samuel Willard.

—A Bellefonte individual employed at one of Bellefonte's hotels, and who we think should have known better, purloined a couple of valuable rugs from a traveling man the other day and went to Lock Haven to sell them. Of course, he was arrested and sent back to Bellefonte again. Come, boys, there's no profit in being dishonest, and even if your do make a few dollars by the operation you will eventually lose 10,000 per cent. by so doing.

Rheumatism and Neuralgia Cured in Two Days.

The Indiana Chemical Co. have discovered a compound which acts with truly marvelous rapidity in the cure of Rheumatism and Neuralgia. We guarantee it to cure any and every case of acute Inflammatory Rheumatism and Neuralgia in 2 DAYS, and to give immediate relief in chronic cases and effect a speedy cure.

On receipt of 30 cents, in 2-cent stamps, we will send to any address the prescription for this wonderful compound, which can be filled by your home druggist at small cost. We take this means of giving our discovery to the public instead of putting it out as a patent medicine, it being much less expensive. We will gladly refund the money if satisfaction is not given. THE INDIANA CHEMICAL CO.,
1y-RAP-JAN26 Crawfordsville, Ind.

—We are sorry to hear that ex-Postmaster John T. Johnston, who has been confined to the house for some time, having fallen and broken a rib, does not recover very rapidly. Hope to see him around again soon.

FREE TRADE

The reduction of internal revenue and the taking off of revenue stamps from Proprietary Medicines, no doubt has largely benefited the consumers, as well as relieving the burden of home manufacturers. Especially is this the case with *Green's August Flower* and *Boschee's German Syrup*, as the reduction of thirty-six cents per dozen, has been added to increase the size of the bottles containing these remedies, thereby giving one-fifth more medicine in the 75 cent size. The *August Flower* For Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, and the *German Syrup* for Cough and Lung troubles, have perhaps, the largest sale of any medicines in the world The advantage of increased size of the bottles will be greatly appreciated by the sick and afflicted, in every town and village in civilized countries. Sample bottles for 10 cents remain the same size.

—The Presbyterians of Centre Hall will probably build a new church this summer.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well."

Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by J. Zeller & Son, and D. F. Taylor, Lemont.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY, S. S. }

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toled, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that can not be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., '86.

{SEAL} A. W. GLEASON, *Notary Public.*

P. S.—Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

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D. A. Bradford, wholesale paper dealer of Chattanooga, Tenn, writes, that he was seriously afflicted with a severe cold that settled on his lungs: had tried many remedies without benefit. Being induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, did so and was entirely cured by use of a few bottles. Since which time he has used it in his family for all coughs and colds with the best results. This is the experience of thousands whose lives have been saved by this wonderful Discovery.

Trial Bottles free at J. Zeller & Son's drug store, Bellefonte, and D. F. Taylor, Lemont.

—The comet of 1887, discovered by Dr. Thorne, director of the Observatory at Cardoba, on Jan. 9, is said to be rapidly approaching our globe. Wish it would get in good position for inspection from Bellefonte this summer. A first class comet would supply a pleasing variety.

I had kidney disorder and say for the good of others that Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy cured me. Rev. S. C. Chandler, Lebanon Springs, N. Y. I had Stone in the Bladder and Gravel in the Kidneys. I used Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy and am now well.—E. D. Parsons, Rochester, N. Y. Price $1. Send 2-cent stamp to Dr. Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y., for a book on Kidney, Liver and Blood disorders. Mention this paper. 19 12 4t

—As an evidence of the proximity of Easter, 600 dozen eggs were handled by Adams Express Company on Wednesday and almost an equal number on Thursday.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter Chapped Hands, Chilblains Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25c. per box. For sale by J. ZELLER & SON, Bellefonte, and D. F. Taylor, Lemont.

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2d. Farmers wonder how we discovered just the proper combination of elements required to produce the needed results at the lowest cost.

3d. Those who use Baugh's $25 Phosphate, appreciate its value as a crop-producer, and wonder why any one believes the spiteful and jealous competitors who attack and vilify by false statements, in order to sell their own goods.

4th. Farmers are the best judges, they use the fertilizers. They know and freely testify to the wonderful results obtained from the use of

Baugh's Celebrated $25 PHOSPHATE.

5th. The rapid and wonderful growth of its sales, in every section of the country, is another powerful evidence of its true worth.

6th. Others wonder what Baugh's New Process is, that enables them to furnish a $25 RAW BONE SUPER-PHOSPHATE. There is nothing mysterious about it, it is simply A PROCESS OF PERFECT ECONOMY; the result of combined practical tests of farm, factory and laboratory, accomplished through a long experience.

7th. The Seventh Wonder is greatest of all—why other makes, that are offered at low prices do not become popular like the OLD RELIABLE ACTIVE and PERMANENT Baugh's $25 PHOSPHATE?

The sum and substance of the whole matter is, Baugh's $25 Phosphate is second to none in Crop Value.

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Bellefonte Republican,

EDWARD T. TUTEN, - - Editor

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Local Department.

—Fine weather.

—Too many runaways.

—Many people have made considerable garden.

—The Tyrone *Daily Herald* will make its appearance next Saturday.

—Serenaders made the streets musical near the midnight hour Monday night.

—Some people are looking for those April showers that are expected to make May flowers.

—Vestrymen and wardens of the Episcopal church were elected last Monday morning.

—A. C. Rankin, of Pittsburg, begins a series of temperance meetings at Mill Hall this evening.

—When Bellefonte horses run off they always go in the direction of the proposed State Capital site.

—The death is announced of John T. Raymond at Evansville, Indiana. He was a comedian of note.

—If you want an apron that will make you look finer than you ever did before in your life, go to the apron fair today.

—A. S. Kerlin, of Centre Hall, just returned from a ten weeks sojourn in Minnesota, during which he gained 25 pounds of flesh.

—Huntingdon county's oldest inhabitant, Mrs. Elizabeth Africa, died on Sunday afternoon. In two years she would have been a centennarian.

—Commissioners' clerk Rumberger is dividing his attention between active work in the office and communings with nature in the way of making garden.

—The snake story is beginning to develop. It is expected to be bigger than it was last year. As a rule, the fewer the snakes the greater the stories.

—Mrs. Dr. Neff, of Centre Hall, died on Thursday last after a protracted illness. She was buried Monday. Mrs. Neff was the mother-in-law of Mr. Bairfoot of this place.

—Mr. Charles Moore, who has been exceedingly ill for several weeks, is, we are pleased to know, gradually recovering his health and strength. On Sunday last he was able to sit up for quite a long time.

—On Tuesday, the 26th, the 68th anniversary of the introduction of Odd Fellowship into America is to be celebrated. One of the greatest demonstrations incident to the event will be made in Milton.

—Philipsburg has a ghost which is very fleet, escapes all pursuit and leaden messages, and appears from an unknown place in the evening before 9.30 o'clock. When most eagerly looked for, however, the ghost fails to appear.

—A daughter arrived on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox in Milesburg. Frank is an attache of the DAILY NEWS office and it is evident by the airs he has put on the past few days that he considers "that baby" the most important individual in Centre county.

—A runaway agitated the people up town Saturday morning. The king bolt of Charlie Jacobs' bakery wagon broke, permitting the two front wheels of the vehicle to be dragged forward. The horse ran out toward the State Capital site, dragging the wheels along. No one was injured.

—Mr. Chas. Nau gives us authority to say that he has purchased the Bellefonte Laundry on Howard street and will move from his present location into that building. Mr. Nau is exceedingly enterprising and as his laundry work is so well executed we are pleased that he now has a monopoly of it.

—A meeting was held in Philipsburg on Thursday night, the object of which was to organize a protection club. J. B. Childs was chairman, Harry Simler secretary and Judge A. L. Morrison, of Arizona, delivered the address. An organization was effected and nearly 100 joined the club, which is non-political.

—The Cleveland *Gazette* is a newspaper in the interest of the colored people of the country and edited by a colored man. It is a very excellent paper and the citizens of dusky hue should be proud of it. We hope it will accomplish an important part in elevating the increasing millions of colored people in this country.

—Mr. John Wanamaker's co-operative system in connection with his great business establishment in Philadelphia seems to be a very acceptable measure to them. He proposes to make each employe who has been with him seven years a sharer in the profits. This, he estimates, will increase the payments to such employes $100,000 per year.

—We are told that an individual whose internal organisms must be made of cast iron, steel or some other very hard substance was in town with the Aiden Benedict Company. This fellow swallowed carpet tacks, knives, glass, etc., and seemed to relish them as ordinary people do juicy beefsteak. Some of these feats were performed in John Sourbeck's store.

"HE IS RISEN!"

Pleasing Services in the Churches on Easter Sunday.

A fairer day never dawned than Easter. Bright was the sunshine, absolutely clear the sky and mild the temperature. Early in the morning the faithful of several of the churches went forth to meet their Lord at the communion table—to obey the command, "Do this in remembrance of Me."

We have already described the new decorations in the Episcopal church. The effect of these improvements is wonderful, producing a most pleasing and elegant interior. The soft, rich colors and bright gilding harmonize with splendid effect, making the House of the Lord what it should be—a place of beauty and glory.

The congregations at the morning and evening services were about double their ordinary size. The choir was strong and complete. The Easter Anthem was sung to *Chaapel's* exquisite music, and the *Te Deum* and *Benedictus* were also beautifully rendered. Miss Julia Valentine, Dr. George Harris, Mr. Benjamin Bradley and John Bullock were the soloists. The incomparably excellent and cultivated voice of Miss Valentine was never heard with greater delight.

The floral decorations on former Easters were more profuse, but were seldom in more perfect taste. There was a floral anchor in front of the pulpit, a floral cross and two superb bouquets made beautiful the new altar. These were all memorials. Potted plants of bright foliage were placed in the windows. The rector delivered a brief address, referring to the fact of the observance of the Queen of Festivals and the pleasing surroundings. The Holy Communion was also celebrated at the 10.30 a. m. service.

The service in the Roman Catholic church at 10.30 a. m. attracted such a large congregation that standing room was at a premium. Farmer's mass, in B flat, with Mr. Chas. Nau musical director, was sung with artistic effect, assisted by a full orchestra. The floral decoration on the altar was very beautiful. The sermon by the pastor, Rev. P. McArdle, was strong in though and beautiful and impressive in its word painting.

At 10.30 o'clock a. m. a very large congregation attended the Reformed church where all the Easter preparations were such as to add greatly to the beauty and interest of the service. About a dozen were received into the church by confirmation and several others by certificate. This service was made more beautiful by new and exquisite music, J. C. Meyers and Miss Harper being among the soloists. The Holy Communion followed, and the proportion of the congregation who partook of the sacrament was noticeably large. The address of the pastor was listened to with profit and his sermon at the evening service was a grand effort.

In the Lutheran church confirmation was administered to six persons. The Sunday school united with the church in the Easter service. The floral decorations were among the handsomest in Bellefonte.

In the Presbyterian church a very beautiful solo was rendered by Miss Lizzie McCalmont. Rev. Dr. Laurie's morning sermon was a strong one.

Large congregations attended the Methodist church and the lessons of the day were eloquently expounded by Rev. D. S. Monroe, D. D.

The Apron Fair.

We are told that the Apron fair will be held all day of to-day, beginning in the morning and continuing until late in the evening. There will be unusual attractions. The aprons will be of the most elegant description and in infinite variety. There will also be a very large assortment of other articles too numerous to mention in detail, but which must be seen to be appreciated. These beautiful articles will be exhibited in the stone residence on Allegheny street formerly occupied by Mr. McClellan, which will be handsomely arranged for the purpose. In the evening choice refreshments of ice cream and cake will be served. The place will be delightful and all the attractions such as will render it one of the most elegant affairs of the season.

—The *Breakfast Table*, of Williamsport has secured the votes of a number of its readers on the question as to who are the ten most popular men in the United States. Ten men were mentioned by each voter and the ten most frequently named were selected. This was the proper way of doing, but we must confess we are astonished at the result and are convinced that the voters were not people who understand the public mind. For instance, Jay Gould figures among these ten most popular men while John Wanamaker does not. Such a result is manifestly absurd. The most popular man named is James G. Blaine and we believe that this is correct. The second, if we remember right, is Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage. Here again the judgment seems about as near right as can be. But most of the remainder of the list comes far short of the mark.

—If quantity in advertising is a factor in making a publisher rich, the publisher of the *Evening Independent*, of Altoona, should be in a very prosperous financial condition.

A Base Ball Organization in Bellefonte.

We are indebted to Mr. Walter Lembkey for the following account of the meeting held in the interest of the National game, on Saturday:

A most enthusiastic meeting took place in the Kismet Club rooms on Saturday evening, that date being the one fixed for organizing the Ball Club in this town. On account of the short notice given of the meeting, a great many who would have been there, knew nothing of it, but, nevertheless, the number present was sufficient to transact all business before the house. By unanimous consent, A. Scott Harris was elected manager, with the authority of choosing an assistant. J. Harry Green was chosen secretary with the right also of choosing an assistant.

A president was next looked for, and every one thought that J. Howard Lingle was the man for the place, so he was elected unanimously. It was decided to organize a local league, consisting of clubs from Central Bellefonte, the glass works, nail works, etc. It was also decided to hold another meeting on Tuesday evening at half-past seven instead of seven, and at that time to make definite plans for the organization of the league. The president, Mr. Harris, then closed with an earnest appeal to those present to exert their influence to the fullest extent in arousing sympathy for the club. There was no reason, he said, why there should not be organized in this place, a nine which would be victorious over its antagonists in every encounter, and, he said, it would depend largely upon the non-players to make the venture a success. It was decided to adjourn until Tuesday at half-past seven, sharp.

—Just one word to the devout church-people. A kind Providence vouchsafed to us a most gloriously beautiful Easter day. The weather was perfection. The services were unusually beautiful and successful, and showed time, care and attention in their preparation. So far so good. Now, this is done to honor God and we hope the worship was offered with sincerity and earnestness of purpose. Included in this purpose should also be that of elevating ourselves and drawing nearer to God. We sadly fear that unless those who participated in the services are by them influenced to lead a purer, better life this week than ever before, the services have been in vain. With services of such a wonderfully elevating and impressive character, seeming to carry those who take part in them to the very gate of heaven, what excellent people we should be. Unless we are made better by them have not the services been but vanity and folly? If, indeed, the profit derived from the day has been commensurate with what it should be the good influences from it will spread out and gradually leaven the entire community.

Monday's Runaway.

The runaway which occurred to-day was a frightful one, more terrifying, if possible, than those which have taken place so frequently of late. The horse caught its foot in the strap and stumbled. This so frightened the animal that he could not be controlled. There were two occupants of the buggy, one of them a young man named Snyder, who had recently been crippled by having his leg broken. He jumped from the vehicle and alighted on one foot and, strange to relate, was not hurt. Mr. A. V. Miller, of Pleasant Gap, who was in that vicinity, succeeded in stopping the frantic steed and then the other occupant of the buggy jumped out. We did not learn his name. But for the timely action of Mr. Miller the consequences would have been worse.

—D. H. Ruhl, formerly of Potters Mills, has moved to Spring Mills, where he is conducting the Spring Mills Hotel, formerly kept by H. G. Shafer. The hotel has been remodeled throughout and newly furnished from roof to cellar. The hotel has a livery attached and runs a bus to and from all trains. Anyone who will make the Spring Mills House his headquarters when he visits that town will be well taken care of. Mr. Ruhl knows how to do it in first-class style.

—We have good news regarding the progress of the glass company in our town. We understand that His Excellency Gov. Beaver, ex-Gov. Curtin and Mr. James Milliken, on Saturday last, each took $500 worth of stock, payable in cash, and their names were not on the subscription. When our leading citizens take hold of things in this way it gives promise that all the stock that can be had will be subscribed for very soon.

—The great stack at the new furnaces of the Valentine Ore Land Association is completed. We are told that its height is 167½ feet. It is comparatively easy for persons who are not subject to vertigo to climb to the top, through the ascent requires several minutes. A fine view is obtained from the top. The purpose of this great stack is to supply a draft, which we should suppose it will do quite satisfactorily.

—The Apron fair will be held this Thursday evening in the stone building on Allegheny street, formerly occupied by Mr. McClelland. They will serve strawberries, ice cream and aprons in great profusion.

Memorials.

THE REFLECTIONS OF G. E. M. ON THE DEATH OF TWO FRIENDS.

In memory of Mrs. Amy E. Hunter, who died September 23d, 1886, aged 29 years and 1 month. After a long and tedious illness, of that dread disease, consumption, she departed from this world to enter into a fairer, brighter haven of rest, where the sun never sets and leaves never fade, and where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary are at rest. She left a husband and five little children to mourn her departure. May they all be gathered as one united family at the throne of God on the great judgment day.

Fa ewell, mother, farewell, mother;
Peaceful be thy silent rest.
Slumber sweetly; God knows best
When to call thee home to rest

Farewell, mother; farewell, mother;
Thou hast loved us long and well,
How we miss thee none can tell,
Jesus called thee; all is well.

Farewell, mother; farewell, mother,
We must say our last farewell;
Till we meet beyond the river,
Happy there with thee to dwell.

G. E. M.

Rachel Stine, widow of 'Squire Stine, deceased, died March 11th, 1887, aged 68 years and 3 months. She leaves a family of three children—Robert Stine, is a minister of the Methodist church, Amanda Meyers, wife of George Meyers, Matternville, and Mary Adams, widow of William Adams, deceased, son of Hugh Adams. Mary Adams made her home with her mother and nursed her all through her long and tedious illness with such care and tenderness as only a devoted and loving daughter could. Mrs. Stine was a kind and devoted wife and mother. She has gone to meet her loved one who preceded her. Her body was laid to rest in Gray's cemetery, to await her summons in the great resurrection morn.

A precious one from us is gone;
A voice we loved is stilled;
A place is vacant in our home,
Which never can be filled.

God in his wisdom has so called
The boon His love has given;
And though the body moulders here
The soul is safe in Heaven.

G. E. M.

Ingenius Work by a Prisoner.

Wm. M. Kelley is a prisoner in the Bellefonte jail. He was an umbrella mender. We forget what he was put in prison for, but he is known to be a bad character and resisted stoutly when arrested. He is gifted with skill and ingenuity, a specimen of which we noticed this morning.

It is a bottle, inside of which Mr. Kelley has placed a wooden cross, on which is the figure of the crucified Saviour. It is complete, even to the blood marks on the body of Him who was crucified for us. The letters I. H. S. are above the cross. The ingenious part of it is how these pieces of the cross were placed in the bottle and there put together with such skill. They are too large to pass through the neck of the bottle and cannot be removed. And, then, is it not strange that one who seems to be depraved should devote himself so earnestly to make figurative representation of the greatest theme under the sun?

A Wedding in the West.

It was only a few weeks ago that Mr. Cleve, a former inspector of the Bald Eagle Railroad, accompanied by his mother and sister, left this place for Downingtown, Pa. Very few of Miss Cleve's friends knew that her marriage was so near. Soon after leaving here she went with her mother to Omaha, Neb., and there the wedding was consumated, of which the following is the published notice:

SHEPPARD—CLEVE.—At Omaha Trinity Cathedral (Episcopal), March 30, by the Dean, Rev. C. H. Gardner, Mr. J. Milton Shepard to Miss Bessie A. Cleve.

Miss Cleve was a very lovely young lady. Her husband is engaged in business in the West, and is a prominent and enterprising young gentleman. While here the bride was a social favorite. All her friends and acquaintances will unite with the DAILY NEWS in earnest congratulations.

Two Governors.

It is not every day that one can shake hands with two real live Governors. But that is what all had the privilege of doing on Saturday in Bellefonte. In the morning we met ex-Governor A. G. Curtin in front of the post office and greeted him with a hand shake, and in the afternoon we met Governor Beaver on High street and indulged in another similar blissful experience. It is a privilege which Bellefonters can enjoy to a greater extent than others are able to. Governor Beaver departed on the 5 o'clock train on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Powderly.

It must be apparent to everybody that the Knights of Labor have a wise and sagacious leader in Mr. Powderly. One of the best strokes of policy was the passage, by the convention now in Harrisburg, of a new resolution sympathizing with the farmers and pledging support to legislation in their interest. Mr. Powderly has also recently expressed pleasure at the overthrow of anarchy in Chicago. It is fortunate that laboring men are led by one so faithful and conservative. We advise them to support Mr. Powderly's policy.

Personal Pencilings.

Hon. L. A. Mackey came to town on the 5 o'clock train on Friday.

Mr. George Rowin, of Julian Furnace, was a caller Thursday morning.

Mr. Chas. McQuen, of Houtzdale, spent Sunday with friends in Bellefonte.

Rev. Mr. Ebersol, of Snow Shoe, is spending Wednesday in Bellefonte.

Cyrus Brumgard, of Rebersburg, is convalescing after a long period of illness.

John T. Johnston, ex-postmaster, has sufficiently recovered to be about again.

Miss Kate Shultz and Miss Ella Frain, of this place, are visiting friends in Lock Haven.

Mr. W. E. Crust has changed his place of residence from Benore, this county, to this place.

Rev. J. O. Davis, rector of the Episcopal church, expects to be away from town all of this week.

Mr. Jack Ager, of Lock Haven, is a guest at Mr. Nicholas Bauer's residence on Bishop street.

Mr. George B. Jack, recently of Boalsburg, is now in Rushville, Sheridan county, Nebraska.

Miss Bessie Montgomery went to Houtzdale on Wednesday, expecting to remain quite a long time.

The Messrs. Hastings, Adjutant General D. H. and his brother, William, were arrivals Saturday morning.

Mrs. F. C. Richard, wife of the jeweler, departed Thursday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Hill, in Philadelphia.

Judge A. O. Furst went to Huntingdon on Monday. He will have the license question to deal with this week.

Mrs. James H. Rankin went to Osceola on Thursday, to visit her daughter, expecting to remain until last Monday.

Miss Kunkle, of Harrisburg, is a guest of Miss Snyder, daughter of Rev. W. H. H. Snyder, pastor of the Reformed church.

Mrs. Richard Haupt, of this place, and two children, accompanied by her sister, Miss Mary Kain, departed Monday for Altoona.

Mr. Foster Williams and family, who formerly lived over Lyon's store, are now living in the McClain block, opposite the Bush House.

Mr. Will Kurtz, son of Frederick Kurtz, of Centre Hall, will go to Somerset next week to wed Miss Crissinger. Success and happiness!

Miss Carrie R. Kunkle, who is the guest of Miss Mary, daughter of Rev. W. H. H. Snyder, is the daughter of Hon. G. Z. Kunkle, of Harrisburg.

Mr. R. S. Craig, who has been canvassing in this vicinity for several weeks, departed on the Lemont train Tuesday afternoon for his home in Montour county.

Prof. D. M. Wolf was in Bellefonte on Saturday. He informs us that the directors' convention will be held on the first Tuesday in May, which will be the 2d day.

Miss Shields, who has been in Philadelphia the past winter, and whose home is in Williamsport, is now visiting in Bellefonte. She is a sister of Mr. Shields who is with S. U. Thompson.

Rev. Chas. T. Steck delivered one of his popular lectures in Pine Grove on Friday evening last and we believe he preached before the faculty and students at State College on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Laura Bierly, one of Milesburg's fair young ladies, passed through Bellefonte Saturday en route for Housersville where she will spend two or three weeks visiting among her friends at that place.

Our friend, Ed Speer, who is living in Millbrook, Graham County, Kansas, can doubtless graphically describe the prairie fire which swept through Graham county and which is related in the dispatches elsewhere in to-day's paper. Let us hear from you, Ed.

Ex-Gov. A. G. Curtin arrived home on Wednesday evening. It is certainly a pleasure for the people of this town and county to know that the Governor will be in Bellefonte more constantly in the future than for a long time in the past. In the councils of the Nation we are quite sure that his first thoughts and efforts were devoted to the interests of this part of our big country, and now that he is with us again as a citizen this community will more than ever receive the benefit of his ripe experience and judgment.

Preparing.

We see young men and boys even now angling in the Bellefonte brooks. We wonder what they do if they happen to catch a trout; as the season for such is not yet due. It will be here next Friday, the 15th.

This reminds us that the great and small anglers of this community are preparing for the event. Al. Dale, Esq., was seen with his rod in hand on Tuesday morning, practicing in an imaginary stream. 'Squire Samuel Foster is engaged, between hearings in his office, in looking at his maps for the location of the best trout holes, ready to pounce upon them bright and early. Even F. Potts Green in thinking about catching another beauty to put in his aquarium. The fishes he now has there were caught a year ago and are as lively as well bred fishes should be. They are growing, too, and one of them must measure 15 or 16 inches in length.

THE STATE CAPITAL.

AN OBJECTION TO BELLEFONTE AS THE SITE, WHICH IS EASILY ANSWERED.

And now comes the McKean *County Miner* attempting by depreciation to discourage the removal of the State Capital to Bellefonte—the inevitable is never hindered by depreciation.

That great journal, the *Press* of Philadelphia—that organ of the whole people, that organ of truth, of right, of justice and of humanity, which everybody reads—has said Bellefonte, and it never gives up and therefore never fails.

"Bellefonte not easily of access," forsooth! Why bless you, *Miner*, we have a railroad starting from Bellefonte which goes direct to Erie, Pa., through a part of the unenlightened county of McKean—time, by express, six hours; another railroad, starting at Bellefonte, goes direct to Pittsburg—time, by express, six hours; another starting at Bellefonte up the North branch, to Scranton—time, by express, six hours; another from Bellefonte through Pennsvalley, direct to Easton—time, by express, six hours; and another road from Bellefonte up Buffalo Run, stopping at the State College, where all good trains should stop, at least for a month or two; and still another railroad which started from Bellefonte direct for McKean county, but, discouraged by the ignorance of that county's newspapers, gave up its purpose and lost its latter end in the coal fields of the Alleghenys—time, by express or mule power, if you are not in a hurry, six hours. In fact, the only place of any note in the State not reached by train within six hours is Philadelphia, but who, pray, would ever desire to go to that awful city except to visit the abode of that great journal—and its angels—the *Press*? And for this consummation, after the State Capital is brought here, this journal will order ten miles of railroad and a mile and a half of tunnel through the Seven Mountains and then, behold, in six hours direct from Bellefonte and you will be in Philadelphia—a city every part of which that is not now covered with buildings and pavements is covered with cobble stones. But it has a new municipal government and the *Press*, and it may be happy yet.

—The "Count of Monte Cristo," as rendered on Monday evening, was very excellent. Love, revenge, murder, etc., were thrillingly depicted. The dungeon and sea scenes were well put on the stage and were as realistic and effective as they could possibly be under the circumstances. The drama is long, but the audience remained through it all. The company is small but quite good, with Mr. Aiden Benedict the most powerful actor.

—Five days of moderate weather have had the effect of warming the earth and making the buds to push themselves forth. The first flowers of Spring are in blossom. The bright crocus is among the first of the floral beauties to appear and is ornamenting the space along the walks through many lawns. Tulips and other flowers that bloom in the Spring tra la will follow in close pursuit and beautiful profusion.

—It is wonderful with what regularity some of the young men who frequent Humes' Hall go out between acts. Whatever else they may forget, this going out proceeding is never omitted. Now, if there were a restaurant or saloon convenient the peculiar action might be better understood. Shall we search for a reason? They do it in New York, you know, and so Bellefonte audiences must endure the nuisance, which here has no excuse whatever.

—It is said that His Excellency Gov. Beaver expressed himself as exceedingly gratified at the business prosperity which Bellefonte is now enjoying. This is more apparent to him after several months absence than to citizens who remain here all the time and do not take particular notice of the accelerated speed which marks the pulse beats of business and industry.

Bellefonte Academy

Spring term will open Monday, April 11. Persons living at a distance, who wish to attend this institution can secure scholar's tickets by application to the Principal.

—The new law defining holidays introduced in the State Senate is said to make about thirteen holidays annually besides Sundays. Hope it will become a law.

MARRIED.

HENDERSON—WILLIAMS.—At Philipsburg, Pa., April 6, 1887, by Rev. S. F. Forgeus, Mr. David Henderson and Miss Kate Williams, of Julian Furnace.

OSMAN—PUFF.—At Scotia, March 29, 1887, by Rev. W. F. D. Noble, Frank Osman, of Lemont, and Sallie Puff, of Scotia.

HASSINGER—JOHNSONBAUGH.—At Stormstown, March 29, 1887, by Rev. W. F. D. Noble, John Hassinger and Maggie Johnsonbaugh.

ULRICH—MUSSER.—On the 3d of April, at the residence of J. Willis Musser, Aaronsburg, by Rev. M. L. Deitzler, Mr. W. G. Ulrich and Miss Sallie Musser, both of Millheim.

ZIMMERMAN—SHOPE.—On the 31st of March, A. D. 1887, at Snow Shoe Intersection, by the Rev. J. Zeigler, Mr. George Zimmerman to Miss Harriet Shope, both of Boggs Township, Centre Co., Pa.

DIED.

JONES.—In Brush Valley, this county on the 30th of March, John Jones, formerly of Lewisburg, aged 84 years, 9 months and 3 days.

LUCAS.—On March 24, 1887, near Gum Stump Station or Wallace Run, Margery, daughter of Cyrus and Anna Bell Lucas, aged 5 years 2 months and 29 days.